



Youngsters Enjoy Morning Snow; Not Expected To Last

Most Victoria youngsters revelled in early morning snowfall, but Gerald Woscowski, victim of above attack, "wanted out." Giving Gerald a snow facial are, from left, Dolores, Dicky and Bobby Jackson. Weatherman

expects more snow and rain tonight with rain Friday as warm air west of here moves across Island. Temperature Friday will be 40. See weather story page 11. (Times photo by Bill Halkett.)

Vishinsky Proposes U.N. Intervene In Korea War

Reds Reject New Prisoner Offer

MUNSAN, Korea, Jan. 3 (AP).—The Communists today turned down an Allied plan for exchanging war prisoners and civilians as "no more than a barter of slaves."

But a United Nations negotiator said he "rejected the categorical rejection of the Reds."

North Korean Maj. Gen. Lee Sang-cho said he wanted no part of the Allied plan because it was "simply and solely on a one-for-one exchange."

The Reds want an all-for-all trade.

Rear Admiral R. E. Libby said that was the end result of the Allied plan.

He refused to accept the Red rejection because they "either misunderstand our proposal or they are deliberately misinterpreting it in order to deliberately obscure the issues."

Libby indicated Lee might be waiting for new instructions.

He reiterated that the U.N. plans to return every prisoner-of-war who wants to be repatriated.

He said the one-for-one exchange called for in the first two points of the Allied plan would control merely the rate of exchange—not the number of war prisoners and civilians ultimately traded.

Another sub-committee, dealing with truce supervision, remained deadlocked Thursday over Communist insistence on the right to build and repair military airfields during an armistice.

CROSSWORD REAL PUZZLER

Along with the standard type puzzle, the Sunday Times magazine will introduce diagramless crossword puzzles to Victorians this week-end.

They are a rare treat for the crossword experts who really have to show their ingenuity. The new diagram crossword is also of the hard variety and will take more than one sitting to finish.

Chile Election Draws Violence

SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 3 (AP).—Chile's residential election campaign broke out into violence for the first time today. No arrests were made.

Supporters of Senator Carlos Ibanez threw tear gas bombs into a theatre where Senator Arturo Matte, candidate of a right wing bloc of parties, was addressing a meeting.

Ibanez, a former president, is the candidate of a splinter group of the Agrarian party and independents. He advocates renewal of diplomatic relations with Russia, broken off in 1947. Fist fights started outside the theatre. Police quelled the disturbance. Several persons were slightly injured.

OBJECT-THROWING GHOST

Kentucky Family Still Trying To Catch Spook

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 3 (AP).—Sh-h-h-h. The Henry Thacker family is waiting for its spook to perform again.

He already has sent a two-pound photograph album swirling through the air; floated a corn cob from the basement up to a ground floor dining-room, and sailed a ring box from one room to another.

These and other antics which began Sunday have attracted curious neighbors, one of whom said she had a painful encounter with the mystery.

Mrs. Robert Covington said she was standing near a dresser when a nail-file struck her back with such force she felt the sting for several minutes.

A skeptical county patrolman, Russell McDaniel, waited six hours Wednesday for the galling ghost to appear. He didn't, but McDaniel said a cardboard box almost hit him. The box came from the dresser, hit the ceiling, then flew toward the officer.

His doubts somewhat shaken, McDaniel said he won't even consider the possibility of any superhuman power involved until he sees the flying objects leave their resting places.

So far, the only one reported to have seen an object actually take off is Walter Brown, 16-year-old student living with the Thackers. "He said he watched Mr. Thacker's spectacles rise from a table unaided and jump about three feet into a chair."

The Thackers have lived in the 23-year-old home more than a year. They feel there must be a reasonable explanation for all these goings-on. But what?

A reporter waited five hours in the house Wednesday to see the spook in action. He didn't. "I'm glad it's stopped," Mrs. Thacker told him, "but I'd like to see something hit you in the head just so you'll believe us."

Plan Frowned On By U.S. Delegates

PARIS, Jan. 3 (AP).—Russia, in a surprise move, today proposed that the United Nations' Security Council intervene in the Korean armistice negotiations. It asked that both Korea and the lessening of world tensions be considered at a high level, possibly by foreign minister or chiefs of state.

Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky submitted the proposal to the 60-country political committee after a long speech denouncing a western collective action plan and hinting ominously at events to come in south-east Asia.

The American delegation immediately frowned on the Vishinsky proposal. Pending official comment, United States sources said the Soviet resolution is unacceptable.

American informants pointed out that the U.S. favors continuation of collective measures as an important factor in the U.N. efforts for peace. They said the call for a Security Council meeting has been made before without response from the Russians, who would not recognize Nationalist China as a member of the council.

VETO HANDICAP

The Americans said that since Russia has veto power in the council it would be useless to bring the Korean armistice negotiations to that body. They added that the place for successful conclusion of such talks is in Korea, with the veto-free General Assembly deciding later on a political settlement.

Vishinsky proposed that the council be called under Article 28 of the U.N. charter, which authorizes governments to send chiefs of state or foreign ministers as delegates to such council meetings. This made the proposal look like another version of the U.S.S.R. demand—keynote of its current peace offensive—for a five-power meeting, including Communist China, to bring about a pact of peace.

The Soviet suggestion was offered to counter the draft—presented by 11 countries, including Canada—calling upon the U.N. to set up new anti-aggression machinery. It was made after Vishinsky delivered a 37-page speech denouncing the western draft as one that could lead only to war. He said the American-sponsored proposal "boils down to sanctions—in other words, war."

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MOHAMMED MOSSADEGH

Mossadegh Magazine's 'Man-Of-Year'

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (UP).—Mohammed Mossadegh, Premier of Iran, was named the "Man of the Year for 1951" today by Time magazine.

"He put Scheherazade in the petroleum business and called the wheels of chaos," the magazine said of Mossadegh, who directed nationalization of his country's oil fields in defiance of Great Britain.

"In his strange way this strange old man represented one of the most profound problems of his time," the magazine said.

"The split between the West and the non-Communist East was a peril all its own to world order, quite apart from Communism."

"For all its power, the West in 1951 failed to cope with a weeping, fainting leader of a helpless country. . . . In its leadership of the non-Communist world, the United States has some dire responsibilities to shoulder. One of them is to meet the fundamental moral challenge posed by the strange old wizard. . . ."

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Bank Bandits Grab \$50,000 In Toronto

MILK BOARD PRICE-FIXING POWER UNDER QUESTION

The effect of the new federal anti-price-fixing law on the power of the B.C. Milk Board to set the retail price of milk will be investigated.

Agriculture Minister Harry Bowman plans to study the situation with E.C. Carr, milk board chairman, it was learned today.

Crown law officials are understood to be awaiting a copy of the new bill to determine its jurisdiction.

According to reports from Winnipeg, the power of the Manitoba Milk Board may be challenged under the new anti-price-fixing legislation.

The board is scheduled to hear an application Jan. 7 by milk distributors who are seeking an increase of 1 cent a quart. Consumers' representatives, however, may challenge the board's power at the hearing to fix the price of milk.

Officials of the Vancouver Dairymen's Association will watch "with interest" all developments.

GALLANT CAPTAIN CONTINUES FIGHT

Slackening Seas Reported Abetting Skipper Of Badly-Listing Freighter; Turmoil Nears

LONDON, Jan. 3 (UP).—The weather took a turn for the better tonight and raised hopes that Capt. Henrik Kurt Carlsen might win his lonely fight to stay aboard the freighter Flying Enterprise until she can be taken into tow.

The skipper was spending his sixth night alone on the listing vessel. Before darkness closed in he was being beaten by winds of 63 miles an hour—"whole gale force"—and it seemed doubtful he could stay with his ship. But the storm died down and the U.S. destroyer John W. Weeks, standing by, radioed to-night that the freighter was "riding easily" and Carlsen was drinking coffee sent to him on a line from the naval vessel.

A crack British ocean-going tug is racing to the scene, about 400 miles off the southwestern tip of England, and hopes to reach the Flying Enterprise before morning.

For hours today the situation of the courageous Carlsen, sworn to ride with his ship to port or see it go down, seemed desperate. If not hopeless as the vessel wallowed helplessly and the black 16-hour night closed in.

After repeated vain attempts by the Weeks to pass coffee and food to the Flying Enterprise on a "messenger" line, members of the destroyer's crew volunteered to try to swim over.

But tonight, the weather suddenly improved and the Weeks managed at last to get coffee, sandwiches, cigarettes, news papers and magazines to Skipper Carlsen.

The wind dropped. The seas moderated. Carlsen, the Weeks radioed to U.S. navy headquarters here, was in good spirits and confident his ship can ride it out.

Experts here from seamen to Lloyd's insurance brokers were not so sure Carlsen could save his ship, despite the dramatic reversal of conditions.

Allies Regain Lost Ground In Hard Fight

SEOUL, Korea, Jan. 3 (AP).—Tank-supported Allied infantrymen attacked behind a thundering artillery barrage today and recaptured two strong points on the western front.

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Armed Pair Tie Up 18 Employees, Customers

TORONTO, Jan. 3 (CP).—Two armed men tied up 18 persons and robbed a branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in suburban York township today. Estimates of the amount of loot ranged from \$40,000 to \$50,000.

The pair—one armed with a sub-machine-gun and the other with a revolver—entered the bank during the night.

They tied up the 13 staff members as they arrived for work, starting with the first arrival at 8.15 a.m. They also tied up five customers who came to the bank early.

Shortly before 10 a.m., after the last member of the staff fell into their net, they made off with the cash.

A bank official, mentioning that it was payroll day, said the loot might run to \$50,000. A police officer at the scene gave an estimate of \$40,000.

One of the men wore a false rubber nose, the other thick-lensed glasses. Bank employees said they had no idea how the pair got into the bank. Residents of the area—Dufferin Street north of Eglinton—said they heard no disturbance during the night.

3 Store Members Caught In Trap

The customers were in the bank before the normal 10 a.m. opening hour by special arrangement between the bank and neighborhood stores.

Three members of the staff of one store got caught in the trap. A girl went to make the bank trip. When she didn't come back on schedule, the boss sent a second girl to check. She didn't return. So he went himself. All three were tied up.

A. G. Cantrell, who arrived at the bank around 8.15 a.m., said: "The two men were in their shirt sleeves. They waved their guns at me and told me to go into the manager's office." The pair told Cantrell "as long as you're careful we won't hurt you."

After the last staff member was tied up the men took manager E. J. Jackson and accountant J. W. McDonald into the vault and forced them to open the safe.

"One man put some of the money in a brief case, took a key to the bank and went out side, locking the door after him," Cantrell said. "He came back a few minutes later. I thought they were rather badly dressed. One had his white shirt darned."

Finally, the men put on their jackets and overcoats, and calmly left the bank.

The loot was the greatest in a bank hold-up in the Toronto area. The largest previous robbery was the \$35,000 hold-up recently of a bank in suburban Leaside.

Edwin Olonzo Boyd, notorious bank robber who escaped jail here in November, was blamed as leader of the gang that committed the Leaside hold-up but police were unable to say whether he was one of the two men involved in today's robbery. They noted that one of the men wore a false nose and said Boyd was notorious for his use of disguises in robberies.

Pending final determination of the amount stolen, Manager Jackson said: "They left some money, but not much."

Murray Asks Steelmen To Delay Strike Action

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., Jan. 3 (CP).—Delegates to a special steel union convention today deliberated a new strike postponement after President Philip Murray declared the patriotic course is to postpone a work stoppage.

The head of the C.I.O. and the United Steel Workers gave every indication that he and the U.S.W. executive board favor accepting President Truman's appeal to continue steel production and submit their contract dispute to the wage stabilization board.

The president, in a message to the opening session of a specially-summoned union convention, appealed to the steelworkers to cancel their threat of an industry-wide strike.

Murray told the 2,200 delegates that Truman "recognized that the companies refused to bargain with the union" in his message appealing to both sides to keep steel flowing.

At a pre-convention press conference, Murray said he expects to be in Washington Monday for the first W.S.B. hearing.

Since the W.S.B. does not conduct hearings in labor controversies where a strike exists, Murray's statement was a tip that steel mills will continue to pour steel for important defense and civilian customers.

The U.S.W. wants an 18½-cent hourly pay raise for workers now earning about \$1.93 an hour, plus a union shop, guaranteed annual wage, elimination of wage inequities and other concessions.

The industry made no wage offer and proposed to forego a price increase if the union agreed to give up its wage demand.

ADDITIONAL PICTURE COVERAGE FOR READERS

Readers of The Victoria Daily Times will be served even more adequately in the near future with regard to on-the-spot news picture coverage.

A joint announcement from the offices of the United Press and NEA Service Inc. (both Times' services) announced that UP has purchased, world-wide, the entire news picture gathering resources of Acme newspapers, a division of NEA.

UP's news picture services, one of the world's best, will now be supplied to all member-papers by NEA.

ABUSED BY PUBLIC

Officials Comment On Restrooms

Health and sanitary officials in Victoria today agreed there was definite need for more public comfort stations in the city.

Over the years they have consistently recommended more restrooms, they state, but the public's abuse of such facilities has deterred the move.

"The public wants these facilities but will not respect them," said Elwood Gropp, chief sanitary inspector. "Restaurant operators tell us they spend a small fortune keeping up to damage done to restrooms on their premises."

Dr. J. L. Gayton, medical health officer, echoed the same contention.

Lack of such stations was termed reason for the abuse of store and building doorways, by Harold Matthews, local insurance man, Wednesday. He made the statement after a recent "What's Your Opinion" column in The Victoria Daily Times showed a cross-section of Victorians interviewed, decried lack of public restrooms.

"We have recommended an increase in comfort station facilities," said Dr. Gayton. "We feel there is need."

He said the city tried to get one in the new post office building, but were advised it was too late.

The library doesn't want one," he said, "owing to abuses in the past."

Gropp said his department had made "quite a study of the need" and some years ago tried to get a site on land which now accommodates the new library building. That area, he said, could use one.

Public library officials found a public restroom a constant headache from 1911 until it was condemned by the city and closed down about 1938.

Question arose again when plans for the new addition were being made.

"The library board disclosed it in connection with the new building but were of the opinion it was not part of the purpose or function of a public library to maintain a public comfort station," said one official.

Experiences in the past were such that the board did not feel it could approve one. Libraries in several other centres across Canada and the United States have done away with their restrooms for the same reasons, according to one spokesman.

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New Interior School Saved From Flames

SALMON ARM, B.C., Jan. 3 (CP).—Volunteer firemen saved the new \$350,000 Salmon-Arm High School from destruction by fire.

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ONE WOMAN'S DAY

By NANCY HODGES

'AULD LANG SYNE'

THIS BEING the season of the year when "Auld Lang Syne" in varying degrees of harmony rings out through hotels and halls at convivial feasts, it may be timely to take a look at what is being done to improve the standard of its performance from the musical standpoint.

It may come as a surprise to some New Year's Eve revelers to learn that they might have improved their performance with a new gadget—a musical corkscrew which plays, appropriately enough, "Auld Lang Syne." I understand it is among the novelties introduced into Britain as an antidote to that current austerity which tends to become even more austere at this traditional season of feasting and good cheer.

SONIC CORKSCREW

TO THE CYNIC, of course, a sonic corkscrew would indicate that we have reached a new age of philosophic development. The music boxes of the past, the dainty little china ornaments which tinkle out tunes conjuring up visions of elegant ladies and courtly gallants, even the "steins" with their musical messages, are now quite outmoded by this latest scientific development.

And while this melodious turning of a screw and this particular tune does seem by tradition to associate it with stimulating potatoes, it opens all kinds of possibilities. There appears to be no reason why this symphonic union of Rubie Burns and the corkscrew shouldn't be adapted to soft drinks as well as hard.

GREATER HARMONY

THE IMPACT on civilization of this latest sonic discovery is a little difficult to estimate. But, at least, it should have the effect of encouraging a more harmonious "gang" rendition of this traditional Scottish song of farewell, even if the number of turns of the corkscrew necessary to attune the ears of the company may have otherwise stultifying effects.

And no less an authority than Sir Alan Gomme-Duncan, a brew Scot who was not only a former inspector of prisons for Scotland but an officer in the Black Watch Regiment as well as an M.P. for Perth, has publicly declared that the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" has been nothing short of a scandal these many years.

'CHAOS AND UPROAR'

HE DENOUNCED the customary rendition of the mellow song to friendship in such ringing terms as "A shocking mess. Chaos and uproar. . . The great words are sacrificed."

And anyone who has ever heard the combination of cracked tenors, flat baritones, worse basses; stumbling lines and fumbled words of some of the efforts that signal the climax to a hilarious Hogmanay—or even more sober—party will be inclined to think Sir Alan has something there, even if it is a wee bit exaggerated in the interests of emphasis.

HOGMANAY HERRING

WHILE ON THE subject of New Year's Eve, or Hogmanay, as the Scots call it, I must say a word or two about another Scottish custom which always intrigues me. It is known as "first-footing," and is as much a part of the process of welcoming in the New Year as is the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

According to Scottish folk-lore, the first person who crosses the threshold of a dwelling after midnight on New Year's Eve is the harbinger of what is to follow during the ensuing twelve months. Good or bad luck is believed to be brought into the house by the "first-foot." Although I have a number of Scottish friends I have always taken care not to be a "first-foot" at any of their homes for, believe it or not, a female of the species is regarded with something approaching dread.

MAN MOST WELCOME

THE TRADITIONAL first-foot, if the house visited is to be blessed with good luck, should be a man, preferably dark, and bearing a gift. In older, less refined times, the first-foot would carry with him a gift of a red herring, tied with a bow around its neck.

I don't know the significance of the red herring, or whether it was the origin of the more modern fishy association, coupled with its name. And it may be that the hospitable custom of regaling the first-foot with a bit of cake and a wee dram at each house visited was what first started the befuddled singing of "Auld Lang Syne" that shocked Sir Alan—and led to the invention of the musical corkscrew.

Mossadegh Turns Down Bank For Clarification

TEHRAN, Iran, Jan. 3 (Reuters).—Prime Minister Mohammed Mossadegh today refused to accept World Bank proposals for reviving Iran's oil industry until they are clarified.

He said that proposals, which reached him today, are not the same as those outlined to him by the World Bank when he was in Washington recently.

In the proposals handed him today "general principles" for reviving the oil industry were outlined. The bank reserved the right to appoint and dismiss the oil board, management and employees being reserved.

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Court sources said today the Shah has advised Mossadegh not to jeopardize American friendship.

The premier has rejected American military, technical and economic aid "if strings are attached." He was reported Tuesday to have been given a week to decide whether he wants

United States aid under conditions similar to those given other countries.

Under the Battle Act the United States could call on Iran to withhold oil from Communist countries—she is reported ready to sell oil to Czechoslovakia—as the price of continued aid.

ATTACKS COCKTAILS

MARITZBURG, South Africa (CP).—Hundreds of parents are perturbed at the growing popularity of the cocktail habit, said Mrs. E. P. Smith, an official of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, addressing the Liquor Licensing Board here.

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Court sources said today the Shah has advised Mossadegh not to jeopardize American friendship.

The premier has rejected American military, technical and economic aid "if strings are attached." He was reported Tuesday to have been given a week to decide whether he wants

An Emergency Communication of Confederation Lodge No. 314, A.P. & A.M. B.C.F. will be held in the Masonic Temple, Douglas Street, on Saturday, Jan. 5, 1952, at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of conducting the funeral service of our late Brother Robert Arnot Balfour.

Members of city lodges and sojourning brethren in good standing are invited to attend by order of the W. Master.

E. T. LONGMAN, Secretary.



NEW MASTER OF CEREMONIES for combined Associated Canadian Travellers-Solarium Junior League weekly amateur talent shows is orchestra leader Reg Woods. He will be assisted by A.C.T. committee man Norm Bailes during Monday night shows at Club Sirocco. Now in its sixth week, the talent hunt will run until April 14 when the top winner will receive a \$150 scholarship after being chosen by adjudicators.

West States Dig Out Of Wild Storm

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 3 (CP).—Western states today are crawling out from under the paralysis of a three-day snowstorm and sub-zero spell that marooned motorists, tied up rail traffic and took three lives in Colorado.

Another two are missing after the cab of a semi-trailer was swept off snow-packed Wolf Creek Pass in southwestern Colorado in a snow slide.

Rescuers Wednesday night used snow plows, sleds and snowshoes to bite through eight-foot deep banks of snow and rescue 21 men marooned for more than five days in 10,000-foot Cumbrus Pass on the Colorado-New Mexico border.

The men were brought to Chama, N.M., Wednesday night aboard a rescue train. All were reported in good shape.

MANY WRECKED

Eastern New Mexico, most of West Texas and the south plains area of Texas is locked in the grip of an ice storm. Telephone calls out of Lubbock in West Texas are expected to be on an emergency basis only Thursday because of ice on wires. Thirty minor wrecks were reported on highways in that area. The cold and ice extends as far west as central New Mexico.

An estimated 1,000 persons, meanwhile, were freed when highways connecting Utah's Uintah basin with Salt Lake City were opened. They had been isolated since Saturday. Trucks reached the region Wednesday night replenishing food supplies.

The bite of sub-zero temperatures, dipping as far as 30 below or more in some places, continued Wednesday night, but considerable warming was predicted over much of the western states today.

More snow was held likely Friday for areas of Utah now shaking off effects of the storm.

Government Passes Duncan Hospital's Ward Rates Boost

(Special to The Times)

DUNCAN—King's Daughters Hospital has been given approval by the B.C.H.S. to raise its public ward rate from \$9.74 to \$10.50 per day, according to Ferguson Hoey, administrator.

The increase is temporary and will remain in force until a 1952 rate is set following final passing of estimates.

SAFETY CHECK REQUESTED IN VICTORIA SHIPYARDS

A charge that working conditions in Victoria shipyards are dangerous to the men employed there was put before the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council Wednesday night.

The council voted to ask R. Hill, local inspector for the Workmen's Compensation Board, to visit the yards and see that safety regulations are carried out.

Question of safety in shipyards was raised by boilermaker delegate W. Conway who said he considered certain staging and scaffolding dangerous and that many workers were endangering other employees by leaving things where they shouldn't be.

NEW LIVING COST INDEX DUE FRIDAY

Figures For November Expected To Show Further Increase For New All-Time High

OTTAWA, Jan. 3 (CP).—The November edition of Canada's cost-of-living index will be made public Friday.

The monthly report will cover the trend of prices between Oct. 31 and Dec. 1 and will indicate whether the living costs of Canadians continued to rise in the November period or whether there was any recession.

If the index follows the pattern of previous months in 1951, it will be up. The index rose without let-up in every month from January to October. In October it advanced four-fifths of a point to an all-time high of 191.2 from 190.4 the previous month. The increase was slightly higher than the six-tenths of a point climb during September, but was far below the record monthly jump of 45 points last February.

The index, prepared and issued monthly by the Bureau of Statistics, is calculated on the basis that prices in 1935-39 equaled 100.

More than a dozen individual price increases contributed to the rise in October. The advances ranged all the way from potatoes and milk to men's overcoats and cigarettes.

Among them were rents, milk, canned vegetables, corn flakes, cocoa, jam, corn syrup, men's sweaters, women's woolen hosiery, lingerie, rubbers, fuel gas rates and health costs.

Some prices went down, but not enough to counter the increases. Down were soap, cabbages, oranges, sugar and meats, particularly pork.

The food sub-index, which previously had declined for two consecutive months, reversed that trend and climbed a half-point to 250.2. The peak for food was 251.4 last July.

Rents, surveyed quarterly, jumped 21 points to a record 144.8.

Highs also were reached in the fuel and light sub-index, clothing and the miscellaneous group.

New Egyptian Adviser Warns Against Alliance With Reds

CAIRO, Egypt, Jan. 3 (CP).—Dr. Hafez Afifi Pasha, new pro-western chief adviser to King Farouk, said today that Egypt in its fight against British imperialism should avoid being caught "in the grip of imperialism of a different character" meaning Russia.

Farouk's appointment of Afifi as chief of the royal cabinet was interpreted as a palace attempt to steer Egypt's course toward a firm alliance with the west. It was a jolt to the Wafdist government, which is anti-western in backing up Egypt's demands that Britain evacuate the Suez Canal zone and the Sudan.

The royal cabinet chief's statement was made after he was asked about the proposed Egyptian non-aggression pact with Russia.

Under the Egyptian constitution the king has authority to dismiss a government and may refuse to sign any laws it passes.

The Iraqi ambassador, Naqib El Rawi, said Nuri Es Said Pasha, prime minister of Iraq now on a "private visit" to London, is trying to settle the Anglo-Egyptian dispute.

But he denied that the prime minister was asked to mediate by either side.

ISMAILIA, Egypt, Jan. 3 (Reuters).—British troops today fired on a terrorist group attempting to cut telephone cables along the Suez Canal between Abu Sweir, 10 miles west of here and Junction Treaty Road, a British official spokesman announced.

A British patrol was believed to have wounded two of the terrorists by rifle fire. Apart from isolated shots and flares sent up by British guards at road blocks covering bridges over the Sweet Water Canal, the night was quiet.

Unions Request Tax Concession

Want Convention Expenses Deductible From Income; To Ask Night City Council Meetings

Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council (T.L.C.) decided Wednesday night to press Revenue Minister J. J. McCann to allow unionists to deduct union convention expenses from income tax.

Council action was taken on the recommendation of Harold Thayer, chairman of the legislative committee, who said the matter had been raised in the House of Commons and that McCann was now in the process of giving the matter consideration.

At present, he pointed out, doctors and lawyers are allowed to deduct convention expenses when submitting income tax returns.

Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council voted unanimously Wednesday night in favor of asking this year's city council to hold night meetings.

The labor body felt night meetings would not only afford working people a chance to see first hand what their elected representatives do, but also, if established, would permit more working people to seek council positions themselves.

Red Cross Starts Training Program, Invites Recruits

Canadian Red Cross Corps will start its 1952 training on the evening of Jan. 7 at 7:30 in Red Cross House at 1046 Fort.

New recruits will be signed up at that time.

Mrs. Alan Morkill will give the opening lecture on "The History and Origin of the Red Cross Corps," and Mrs. R. C. deSage, director of home nursing and first aid for the B.C. division, will start first-aid courses for corps personnel Jan. 21.

Boy Falls On Knife Sustains Deep Gash

David Saurley, 11, of 217 Beechwood, was taken to hospital New Year's Day when he sustained a cut on the left side of his abdomen.

The boy was playing with friends and had a five-inch paring knife in his pocket. The wound was inflicted when he tripped and fell.

The boy said he found the knife in a field.

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F-3287—We're No Awa Yae Side Awa; Dumb, Dumb, Dumb—Jan MacPherson, Baritone.
F-3281—Jacqueline Waltz; Mariette Polka—William Starr, Accordion.
F-3288—There's a Long, Long Trail; (Intro, "The Last Post").
F-3272—Eighteen Red; Dundee Red—Jimmy Shand and His Band.
F-1983—Pedro, the Fisherman; Along the Winding Road—The Master Singers.
F-3213—Tia Fan Alley Medley, Parts 1 and 2—Edward Marston and Dave Kaye. (On Two Flutes with String Bass and Drums.)
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R-3215—Serenade; Toss—The Luten Girls' Choir.
R-3273—Tales From the Vienna Woods; O Lovely Night—The Luten Girls' Choir.
R-3240—Gay Gardens; Doris Waltz—Sydney Tompson's Old Time Dance Orchestra.
R-3252—Marine Four Step; Silver Star Waltz—Sydney Tompson's Old Time Dance Orchestra.
R-3273—Western Schottische; Flyde Waltz—Sydney Tompson's Old Time Dance Orchestra.

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RO-3017—Merry Widow Waltz Song; The Opera Ball—Richard Tauber, Tenor.
RO-3023—My Heart and I; Deeply Beloved—Richard Tauber, Tenor.
RO-3023—Fin Träum; (Dream)—Eric—Richard Tauber, Tenor.
RO-3043—Never Say Good-Bye; Pedro, the Fisherman—Richard Tauber, Tenor.
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DX-1292—"La Balsa"; Maxine—Harry Davidson and His Orchestra.
DX-1293—"The Lullaby"; "Naval Three Step"—Harry Davidson and His Orchestra.
DX-1297—The Fox Three Step; The Pride of Erin—Harry Davidson and His Orchestra.
DX-1298—Volta (Inspiration); "El Choclo"—Harry Davidson and His Orchestra.
DX-1299—Vivienne Waltz; Flyde Waltz—Harry Davidson and His Orch.
DX-1444—White Heather; Caledonian Fairs 1 and 2—Harry Davidson and His Orchestra.

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CONTRACTS—Contracts totaling \$57,304,713 were let for construction of the Trans-Canada highway in 1951 and Resources Minister Robert Winters indicated today that the rate of progress on this project despite the heavy demands in the construction industry for the defense program and other capital development indicates the importance the provincial governments concerned and the Federal government attach to the completion of a good standard highway across Canada.

WELCOME—In Washington Sen. Estes Kefauver said today he would welcome a heart-to-heart talk with President Truman on this year's "political situation."

But the Tennessee Democrat indicated that he will wait for Mr. Truman to take the initiative in arranging such a meeting. He may wait quite a while.

The former chairman of the Senate Crime Committee is the only Democrat who has been bold enough to make an open bid for the party's 1952 presidential nomination without waiting for the President to declare his own intentions. Mr. Truman has shown no enthusiasm for the Kefauver candidacy.

REPLACEMENT—In Tokyo an American newspaper editor will replace an army officer as chief public information adviser to Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway, it was announced today.

Burrows Matthews, editor of the Buffalo, N.Y., Courier-Express, is expected to arrive in Tokyo this weekend to take over the advisory job formerly held by Brig. Gen. Frank A. Allen, but without the latter's additional administrative duties.

Allen became involved in several disputes with the press last summer and since has remained mostly in the background. He closed his office here last Monday.

DECISION—In Los Angeles baby sitter Delora Mae Campbell, 16, appeared in juvenile court today to face a charge of strangling a six-year-old girl left in her care.

Delora appeared before Judge William B. McKessen, who must decide whether she will be left under the jurisdiction of juvenile authorities or tried for murder as an adult.

Capt. William Barr, of the sheriff's office, filed a murder charge petition Wednesday accusing the girl of strangling little Donna Joyce Isbell with a sock at the youngster's Long Beach, Calif., home Sunday.

ELIGIBLE—Only one member of the Canadian Federal Cabinet was eligible for universal old-age pensions when they became effective New Year's Day.

He was Fisheries Minister Mayhew, who was 71 last Oct. 13. The rest of the cabinet, including Prime Minister St. Laurent, is under 70, the age at which payment of the \$40-a-month pension starts. The Prime Minister will be 70 Feb. 1.

Ten members of the Commons and 37 members of the Senate are eligible for the payments.

BIGAMY—In Mesa, Ariz., George Merrill Dutton, an excommunicated Mormon wanted for bigamy, apparently divided his time among eight wives whose door-to-door peddling supported him, authorities said today.

Maricopa County Deputy Sheriff Newt Hawkins said three of the four wives arrested here, obviously had separate rooms in a farm-type dwelling and a fourth wife lived in a trailer.

Two other wives were picked up at Phoenix. All six were arraigned Wednesday on charges of "open and notorious cohabitation" with the middle-aged Dutton and released on \$500 bail each.

STALIN—In Washington the state department today dismissed Josef Stalin's unprecedented New Year's message to the Japanese as a "propaganda flop."

The White House at the same time disclosed that President Truman declined an invitation to send a similar message. State department officials said the Russian dictator's message was a dramatic but "pretty ineffective" effort to drive a wedge between the Japanese and American people.

Indo-China Attack New U.S. Worry

Fear Thrust By Communist Forces

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (UP)—The United States is seriously concerned over the danger of an early Chinese Communist attack on Indo-China, government officials revealed today.

The ominous situation in southeast Asia is scheduled for top-level review here in the next few days in the global strategy talks between President Truman and British Prime Minister Winston Churchill.

Experts forecast that the two leaders may agree on quick military talks with France on joint Big Three action. The French government has been pressing for such talks.

SET PRECEDENT—The United States at this time is unwilling to say exactly what it would do if the Chinese Reds send "volunteers" into the three associated states of Indo-China or commit formal aggression with Red troops. A precedent for armed United Nations resistance was set when North Korea invaded South Korea 18 months ago.

The threat of Chinese Red intervention in Indo-China has existed for some time. But officials said the prospect has become more serious with confirmed intelligence reports of new Red activities in the area and the knowledge that a Korean truce would free Chinese troops for new adventures in southeast Asia.

Ominous signs under the closest scrutiny here, officials said, include:

1. Official reports by France that anti-Communist fighters are running into mounting Red strength in Indo-China. French-led troops have barely been able to forestall Red gains. Any Chinese intervention with troops or more equipment could change the battle tide.

2. The Chinese Reds are training increasing numbers of native Indo-Chinese Reds at bases just inside the China border.

3. In the last 60 to 90 days, Red China has completed a rail link that provides a railroad from the region near the Indo-China border across China to Manchuria. This would allow fast movement of combat-trained Chinese troops to southeast Asia if an armistice is reached in Korea.

4. Roads, bridges and air-strips in southwest China are being overhauled and rebuilt by thousands of Chinese laborers. The main construction, including the lengthening of runways for jet fighters, is completed.

GREATEST DANGER

5. The dry season is underway in southeast Asia. This increases the prospect of Red offensive manoeuvres. The period of greatest danger in Indo-China will be from now until May when the monsoons start again.

6. U.S. military aid to Indo-China, though sizeable, is behind schedule.

7. Communist propaganda against the anti-Red forces in Indo-China is increasing. The Reds are saying that "the Anglo-American and French attempts in the past year to drown the colonial liberation struggle in blood ended in pitiful failure."

T.L.C. Voices Worry

Concern that the Public Utilities Commission would rule on a B.C. Electric application for an increase in power rates without an open hearing was expressed by the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council Wednesday night.

Council passed a motion calling for the commission to hold an open session so that arguments for and against can be heard by anyone interested.

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S.P.C.A. officer Robert Maggs holds head of two-point buck rescued from ice on Thetis Lake where game warden Bon Sinclair (not shown) and party broke a way for a dinghy to reach the exhausted animal. It had been run by dogs. H. Roberts, E. Falk and H. Falk, the latter two shown here, assisted. But the deer had a dislocated shoulder and had to be destroyed later. (Times photo.)

Dog-Harassed Deer Rescued And Destroyed

A two-point deer rescued from Thetis Lake ice Wednesday by game warden Bon Sinclair and S.P.C.A. inspector Robert Maggs had to be destroyed.

The deer apparently had been chased on the ice by dogs. It had lost its footing, and some time during the morning, or in its effort to resist rescue, had dislocated a shoulder.

Maggs and Sinclair chopped their way through ice to reach the deer by boat. On shore they prepared a bed for it, and 16-year-old Meeri Falk, Thetis Lake, kept watch.

In late afternoon, however, Falk noticed the animal was more dead than alive. He informed Sinclair and game warden Joe Jones, who killed it.

Last Rites For James E. Burnett

Funeral services were held today from McCall Bros. for James E. Burnett, 3884 Cedar Hill Road, who died Monday in St. Joseph's Hospital.

A native of Durham, Eng., and resident of Victoria for 40 years, Mr. Burnett was well known in business and church circles. He was senior accountant at the F. B. Pemberton & Son real estate firm until his retirement three years ago.

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Third Term Riddle Hits Washington

Truman's Plans Well-Kept Secret

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (UP)—This is the last election year in which the third term question will figure in U.S. politics.

The two-term tradition established by Washington and flouted by Franklin D. Roosevelt has been written into the constitution. But the 22nd Amendment exempts President Truman from the service limitations which will bind all of his successors.

Whether Mr. Truman will run again remains his own close-kept secret and the great third term guessing contest is on once more. It is developing just about as in 1940 when F.D.R. baffled the experts and suppressed competition candidates so successfully that he became a third-term nominee by means identified at the time as a draft.

The 22nd Amendment provides that no person shall be elected president more than twice. A person who succeeds to the presidency upon the death of a president may be elected only once if he is in office by succession more than two years.

So after Mr. Truman has had his chance at another term if he wants it, the longest the constitution would permit any person to be president would be 10 years—two elected terms plus two years' service as the successor to a dead or otherwise incapacitated president. Another term for Mr. Truman would raise his score to 11 years 7½ months.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (UP)—Harold E. Stassen said today he plans to enter the Minnesota, Pennsylvania and Ohio primaries in a direct challenge to Senator Robert A. Taft for the Republican presidential nomination.

Army, Navy Veteran Passes in Hospital

Funeral services for Bramwell Bateman, 64, member of Nanaimo Branch, Canadian Legion, who died New Year's Day at the Veterans' Hospital, will be held Friday in Nanaimo.

Veteran of both the army and navy in the First World War, he settled in Nanaimo 10 years ago. He was a Mason, and former employee of the Legion Branch.

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Mission To Ottawa

MR. ANSCOMB LEAVES FOR OTTAWA in a few days to negotiate a new taxation agreement with the federal government or, alternatively, to abandon the present large federal subsidies and levy a provincial income tax.

Whatever may be said about the merits of the existing agreement and the advisability of continuing or scrapping it, the provincial government's method of dealing with it is extraordinary.

Here is an issue which involves the whole future fiscal policy of British Columbia, federal subsidies of over \$30 million a year and every taxpayer's pocket in this province. Yet, apparently, Mr. Ancomb is going to Ottawa alone to settle these great matters in negotiations with the federal government.

The ability of Mr. Ancomb as a financier and a negotiator is not doubted. He certainly knows more about British Columbia's finances than any member of the government and were this an ordinary government he could be safely left to deal with the federal authorities by himself.

But this is not an ordinary government. It is a coalition of two parties and Mr. Ancomb happens to be the leader of the minority party. Moreover, he is so dissatisfied with the partnership, he has such serious objections to the Liberal party's policies (though he has refused to say exactly what they are) that he plans definitely to smash the coalition. He may maintain it until the eve of the election. On the other hand, he may smash it at any moment. And he may smash it on the issue of the taxation agreement if the Liberals do not agree with his work at Ottawa during the next fortnight.

Under these conditions, with Mr. Ancomb looking desperately for an issue to use against his present partners in the government, it is almost incredible that he, the leader of a minority party and an open enemy of the federal government, should be placed in charge of the Ottawa negotiations.

They should be kept out of partisan politics altogether if possible and settled on the financial merits of the case. If Mr. Ancomb is able to resist the temptation to use these negotiations as a political weapon against the Liberal party in Ottawa and Victoria it is desirable even from his own standpoint that any suspicion of partisanship should be removed.

It can best be removed if Premier Johnson goes to Ottawa with Mr. Ancomb to deal with an issue which affects not just Mr. Ancomb's finance department but the whole government.

Mr. Johnson will be held responsible, as he must be, for anything done in the government's name at Ottawa, as at Victoria. There is no business before Mr. Johnson so urgent at the moment as the taxation agreement. It is too big to be left to any minister, even a minister as able as Mr. Ancomb. It should not be left to a minister who says publicly that he does not agree fundamentally with Mr. Johnson and that shortly he will proclaim his disagreements—so far secret—and undertake to defeat the Liberal party.

If Mr. Johnson goes with Mr. Ancomb to Ottawa, as he is obligated to do, and they disagree on the renewal of the taxation agreement then the long-awaited split in the coalition will occur. The Liberal party has no reason to fear it.

Wages And Lumber

THE WAGE INCREASES GRANTED to workers in British Columbia's huge timber industry were absorbed up to now, by a ravenous lumber market, at the expense of higher lumber prices.

In proposing another large wage increase during the present year the timber workers must realize that the economic climate in which they have lived since the war may not last much longer.

The immediate future of our largest industry is in doubt. The cost of construction throughout America has depressed home building. The essential attack on inflation through the curtailment of credit has postponed many projects of public and industrial construction. So far, though, lumber markets in America have softened somewhat. British Columbia has enjoyed heavy lumber orders in Britain, but whether they will be renewed next mid-summer, and in what volume or price, remains to be seen. But it is clear already that, by raising its costs of production, British Columbia could price itself out of the lumber market, both at home and abroad, during the next twelve months.

This is particularly true of many small sawmills. Some of the big lumber empires, with great profits and assured customers, no doubt can afford a further increase in their costs without serious damage to themselves, provided the mar-

ket does not slump seriously. The smaller mills and logging camps are operating on a small margin. Even a slight fall in lumber prices could make those operations unprofitable and throw many men out of work. A scale of costs which some of the larger operators could absorb would devastate their smaller competitors, many of them using marginal timber and able to operate only in a boom market.

The timber workers will be wise to remember also that if their wages are drastically raised the cost will be paid not by a few millionaires but by the public which uses lumber. Every poor man who tries to build a house at today's figures will pay his contribution to any increase in the wages of the timber industry. If, on top of that, timber operations are restricted by costs which curtail sales and reduce employment, British Columbia as a whole will pay a still higher price.

From the standpoint of their own workers, apart from the needs of the provincial economy, on which these workers live, the able men who manage the lumber unions should consider all the current facts in preparing their new wage demands. They should realize that in lumber, as in everything else, there is a breaking point and a law of diminishing returns. We may be nearer to them than we think.

He Swam Against The Stream

WITH THE DEATH OF MAXIM LITVINOFF one of the last surviving links with the Russian revolution has been broken. Of the so-called Old Bolsheviks, who worked with Lenin, only Stalin now remains.

Litvinoff was one of the few top Soviet officials who could talk with the West in its own idiom, perhaps because he was never really accepted as one of the Communist hierarchy. He was suspected of deviationist tendencies—the ultimate crime in the Communist world. He understood and admired English ways of thought. He married an Englishwoman, had friends in the democracies. Hence this man who had been Soviet diplomacy's shining light in the twenties and thirties died in political obscurity. Pravda gave his obituary eight paragraphs on the back page.

But Litvinoff's Western leanings were an asset to Russia. He was an excellent spokesman for the Kremlin when the latter's purpose was to make overtures to the west. Thus in the thirties, when the Soviet took an active part in the League of Nations, urging a common front against aggressors, Litvinoff was chosen to sell this idea to western statesmen.

But as soon as Russian policy changed, and Stalin threw in his lot with Hitler in the now famous treaty of 1939, Litvinoff was dropped with the principles he had espoused. He was

demoted to a relatively obscure post, where failing health contributed to his eclipse.

The man in his life symbolized one of the historical forces in Russian history—a trend that began with Peter the Great. This was the attempt to lead the society and culture of Russia into closer co-operation with the west; to open the windows on Europe and balance the Asiatic origins of that mighty population.

But it was overwhelmed by other historic Russian traits: that xenophobia and attachment to his land that together have determined the outlook of the Russian for generations, and today are manifest more strongly than ever. Against this trend, Litvinoff, though highly respected in the west, could not hope to stand. He was thrust aside when he stood in the way of Stalin's change of strategy. For this reason, his death cannot be said to have removed a "friend at court" or diminished the west's contact with the inner circle of the Kremlin.

That contact is still as nebulous as ever, for the tragedy of Litvinoff's career, and now his death, emphasize the failure of the policy he represented. His tragedy was that he was attempting, in all sincerity, to promote a policy which the Kremlin did not believe in. His Communist comrades used him as window dressing.

No Cause For Local Pride

LATE LAST YEAR THE COMMITTEE of Craigflower School and Museum reopened its campaign to raise \$6,000 for the preservation of the building on the Gorge Road side of Craigflower Bridge—a building which is the oldest schoolhouse still standing in western Canada. Efforts earlier in the year produced donations of \$2,000. The most recent appeal was dismissed with collections of only \$275.

The response to the call to retain this valuable link with a pioneering past reflects little credit on the community. Here, for the want of less than \$4,000,

the authentic structure in which some of our early settlers learned the three R's and other rules and precepts of their day, may be allowed to deteriorate.

Is our appreciation for such a reminder of Greater Victoria's past so shallow that we are willing to let the building fall into decay? Unless contributions are given more generously in the near future, that is the only interpretation we can place on Victoria's attitude.

Spread over a population of more than 100,000 people, \$4,000 is a trifling amount. It will be to our shame if we do not produce it.

The Horn Is Sold, The Halo Endures

AN EASTERN CANADIAN NEWS-paper pays lyrical editorial tribute to the echoes of John Peel's hunting horn as it notes the sale of that instrument to a non-hunting Welsh grocer for \$600.

Thousands, it states, have been inspired by John Peel and the rollicking song has "carried them beyond themselves away from the drudgery of their everyday vocations into the thrills of a gay gallop and the thrill of success at the end of a long ride."

That may be very true. And it may be a little saddening to think of the horn,

unknown, hanging on the grocer's wall where it will never again set hearts stirring to the hunt.

Yet, in our recollection of the song, it was Peel's "hallo" that awakened the dead and came ringing down the generations. And that "hallo" will never die as long as busy city editors reach to answer telephones on the verge of deadlines; while a householder, trying to put a new light in the basement socket, answers a query shouted from the top of the stairs; or when adolescents meet young friends at a Christmas party.

The horn may have been retired. The "hallo" goes on forever.

Chips Off The Old Brock

By DAVID BROCK

IT'S not too late to wish you a Happy New Year. After all, there are very considerable portions of 1952 still to come, so the astrologers tell me. Yet I hesitate to wish you ALL a Happy New Year. In every crowd there must



be men (and even women) who refuse to be happy at any price. If I may so express myself, every crowd has a sullen whining. And far be it from me to go round insulting such blokes by wishing them a whole lot of happiness they can't abide. All I can do is tell them, as delicately as possible, that I've heard the Guards have a little maxim to the effect that "any (blankety) fool can be uncomfortable."

Oh yes, but I can do more for them, at that. I can sing them a little New Year's Ode I once composed. It runs something like this:

E'er 1950 scarce had died
My frail and roving eye descried
That strapping maiden, '51.
To her I promised love and fun.
In January I better knew her:
I loved her still but now saw through her.

In that short month of February
Once-charming whims became vagary.
In spring, about the end of March,
She lacked a certain spring, or starch.
In April showers repeated treat
She too was tending to repeat.
Somewhere toward the end of May
I found she had a petulant way.

Perhaps it was sometime in June
I knew by heart her single tune.
It must have been around July
I grew to loathe her eternal "I."
In August's heat her mind so gabby
Cooked out half brittle and half flabby.
Though she'd amnesia by September,
Unpleasant things she'd still remember.
This Halloween witch, to end October,
Drove me to drink and preached me sober.

In drab November this drear wife
Charged me with shrivelling up her life.
In late December we interred her
In time to keep my thoughts from murder.

But oh, cheer up, my hopeful hearties
Rejoicing at your New Year's parties!
My luck has changed, for on my way
To some gay feast the other day
I met a babe quite fit to woo . . .
Lithe, lovely, nifty '52.

I HAVE naturally inserted appropriate dates there, which entailed altering some of the rhymes. But the general sense remains the same. The song is entitled "I Love 'All Strangers." I had a dog once who loved all strangers. He came to a horrible end . . . just like the end of 1951, according to my gloomier pals.

CARE-CHARMER SLEEP ABOUT once every five or six years I become enraptured by the thought of New Year's parties and the next few days after them, and I decline to give a party of my own or attend anyone else's. I turn in at about 10 on New Year's Eve, carefully darkening the house to ward off callers.

Maybe I read in bed for a while by means of a flashlight under the covers, but I soon drop off to sleep, repeating to myself that you can either rest or be merry but you can't say "God rest you merry" because that is a contradiction in terms.

As a result, I wake early on January 1, feeling just dandy. And feeling very smug and superior, too. And if any of the January casualties call on me, looking like death-warmed-up, I greet them with a healthy gaiety that makes them feel even worse. I tell them how wonderful I feel, and they soon creep home. As they leave, they usually inform me that although I have the odor of sanctity, it doesn't smell very appealing to them, somehow.

Well, that's all right. It smells just fine to me. It is better than smelling salts, even, for pepping me up. The breath of life. It is, as Jorjacks or somebody said about something else, the very liver and bacon of my existence. But, as I say, I only get these good ideas every five or six years. That's a good enough average for being either sensible or sanctimonious.

SECRETS THE cookery editor of a Canadian journal said that in her granny's old kitchen notebook there are recipes for everything from nuts to bolts (so to speak). There is even one for a hang-over cure. I have always been curious about these alleged cures; I know about 20, each more superstitious than the last. So I wrote to this good woman, carefully enclosing stamped and addressed envelope, and asked for the recipe. But she refused to answer. Maybe she had scruples about helping to cure self-inflicted illness, and didn't understand my interest was merely scientific.

By the way, I also took a scientific interest in her warning that we must always boil any hard cider that we plan to put into a mince pie. Boil good cider? That's a new one on me. In the last fortnight I have seen many men carefully and mistakenly boiling themselves. But nobody boiling any cider.

Seven-Cent Newspapers

Vancouver News-Herald In Victoria the two newspapers have gone to seven cents daily. Across the United States, one newspaper after another has been moving from five to seven cents.

At their recent meeting in San Francisco Associated Press editors declared the seven-cent price for daily newspapers is only transitional. The price of all dailies would soon be 10 cents, as it already is for the major Los Angeles papers.

The 15-cent Sunday newspaper, they said, was now uneconomic and it was heading for 25 cents. Daily newspapers have been five cents or less for so long that it had come to be thought there could be no higher price.

In terms of depreciated dollar values, a 10-cent newspaper price today would be the equivalent of less than the five-cent price pre-war.

A seven-cent newspaper price, as in Victoria today, is actually just about equal to a three-cent price—or two cents below the five-cent pre-war price.

Always In The Way



As Our Readers See It

'WELL DONE'

Many people will miss a slight figure in black, Mrs. Elizabeth Mason, a little lady who literally walked from one end of Victoria to the other, day after day, visiting the hospitals, nursing homes, shut-ins, taking cheer and happiness into many lives, giving of herself, which is greater than any material gift. Few people on earth have such a record, and with her passing I know she will hear the words "Well done; good and faithful servant."

DOROTHY ABRAHAM,
1125 Faithful Street.

SEPARATE SCHOOLS—FOR

We are much too eager to listen and believe every word that is uttered against Quebec, and yet, what is the true educational situation in that province? Some readers have asked this question and here is the answer.

There is equality for Protestant and Catholic schools in Quebec. Full minority rights are recognized. The Protestant minority is entitled to receive from Public School funds an amount which is in proportion to the number of Protestant children enrolled in schools as established by the annual reports of the school commissioners or trustees.

Other grants or allocations are voted by the Legislature such as the Superior Education Grants, Rural School Grants, Elementary School Grants, Transportation Grants and Consolidated School Grants. All of the grants are distributed upon the recommendation of the Provincial Secretary. A similar amount is allotted to each pupil regardless of religion.

How does that compare with the situation in B.C., where Catholics (and some Protestants) must provide their own schools, teachers, etc., and even pay taxes on their school buildings?

J. H. COTE,
Windermere Place.

SEPARATE SCHOOLS—AGAINST

The defenders of the Separate School scheme in writing to the editor, still refuse to step out into the arena with open vizor. They must hide behind noms-de-plume or initials! Why?

The latest initials "M.P." to judge by the contents of the letter must stand for "Misguided Person!" In that writer's opinion anyone coming out boldly for the truth is "un-Christian-like" and a "back-biter." That writer should be referred to the 23rd chapter of Matthew to be convinced that the lowly, lovely and meek Saviour could be fierce in denouncing evil as He saw it in the members of the religious hierarchy of His day, called the Pharisees.

Had my previous letter been published in full there could have been no misgivings as to its true meaning. The words "Evangelical Christian" are really duplicating each other, for there is, after all, only one kind of Christian, as there is only one kind of dollar, to wit: the standard one! All others are worthless imitations of the real one.

L. J. ECKMAN,
40 Wellington Ave.

SOCIAL INSURANCE

That "we get the legislation we deserve" is, of course, relatively true. It is also true that sometimes we get even better legislation than we deserve. For example, right now, this country recently enacted "Old Age Pensions" whereby all

citizens at or over 70 are eligible—is obviously just a little bit ahead of the line of thinking (if any) of the average citizen on the subject.

The public response, or lack of it, to the introduction of this measure must be a real disappointment to its sponsors in the House of Commons who have worked so long and persistently for its fulfillment.

When one considers the warm support accorded the bill, in an almost unique unanimity, its cold public reception is all the more surprising.

Some criticize the act because "you can't get something for nothing" unless somebody else "gets nothing for something"—all being taxed to pay for the pension whether they reach 70 or not. They ignore the fact that this pension is simply one form of insurance—social insurance, and like various other forms of insurance—fire, hail, etc.—what you pay for is security.

PRAIRIETTE,
Deep Cove.

THANKS POLICE

I would like, at this time, to thank all the Police Department of Victoria, B.C., for all the help extended to me as a new Canadian in a strange land.

I would further like to wish each and every member a Happy New Year.
L. FILIPOVICH,
137 Ouellette Ave., Windsor, Ont.

CHRISTMAS VISITOR

To the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Cox came an uninvited, unexpected, but very welcome guest Christmas morning. A pert little chickadee flew in the window, straight to the Christmas tree which is eight feet and for about three minutes we held our breath with delight as we watched it flit from branch to branch, singing and performing with great delight until he came suddenly too close to a hot tree light and decided it was time to leave. His visit not being received in the spirit it was given, he departed feeling somewhat singed in body and spirit, but it gave us a tremendous thrill. For others who would like to have them, a few bits of suet will do the trick.
VIOLET V. COX,
1890 Haultain Street.

A LITTLE CONFUSING

May I be permitted to express an unasked opinion re allowing Indians to drink in beer parlors (as they call them here).

I think this is most unwise, and is asking for trouble, which I understand has already started, but this is nothing to what will happen if this law is not rescinded.

Color is color and one cannot get away from it, black and white cannot mix and this is going to be a very serious question in the near future.

It is all very well to say they are our brothers and human beings the same as a white man and all that poppycock. I have lived among blacks for years and know what they are. It would take too long to go into details.

All I say is be warned. If this kind of thing is allowed to continue I foresee trouble, it will come soon enough with the advance of civilization without starting it now and will require great diplomacy.

WALTER W. JOSEPHS,
1707 Lee Avenue.

Balance Of Power Sets '52 Stage

By WALTER LIPPMANN
from Washington

NO one can, I believe, predict what is going to happen during 1952 because the course of events is not predestined. It will be shaped by the estimates, calculations and judgments of men, particularly of course the leading men in the leading governments.

There is considerable, though not conclusive, reason for thinking that on both sides of the line the basic estimates of the responsible and soberest men are not radically different. That at least is the way they have all been acting—as if all realized that neither has decisive military power, that both have great deterrent power, and that any big change in this equilibrium will come not by orthodox military action but by political developments in our orbit, in theirs, or perhaps in both.

During the past year two great developments—the Korean war and American rearmament—have, it seems to me, added great weight to this theory. A year ago our forces in Korea were in a very bad way. In Western Europe the road was open. The meager forces of the Western nations were dispersed.

In Europe and the Far East the dominating military fact was that—except for the powerful but limited blows which our strategic air force could then strike—it would have taken us the usual three years to reach full mobilization.

It was this enormously long time lag which, more than anything else, made aggression seem a safe risk to the Germans in both wars. They expected to win the wars abroad, and to bring the conquered peoples into their own camp, before American intervention could become effective.

It is often said that Hitler would not have started the war in the west had he known that America would fight. Perhaps it would be still more accurate to say that he would not have started the war in the west had he known that England would hold out while America got ready to fight.

QUICKER MOBILIZATION

Now, the most important military development of 1951 has been that the time required to mobilize the full power of this country has been greatly shortened. This has been the immense military achievement, the inner and far-reaching success, of the American rearmament.

The reduction of the time lag is already so far accomplished that the old formula of the aggressor—to conquer and consolidate before America wakes up and rearm—has been rendered obsolete.

There is no more interesting speculation than the question, as an eminent logician put it, of "Why not yesterday?" Why did the Kremlin not start an aggressive war when the Western world was almost disarmed and was off balance in Korea? Why did it not start a preventive war when we were entangled in Korea and with China and were preparing to rearm ourselves and the Europeans and the Japanese?

I think the most reasonable answer is that despite the West's military weakness in 1950, there was no aggressive war because the Soviet Union knew it could not in the long run be won against the comparatively invulnerable power of America; and that there was no preventive war to forestall our own rearmament because (1) it could not be prevented, but only accelerated, by war and (2) that the problem of our rearmament soberly and professionally examined, shows unmistakably that it is not designed for, or capable of, a preventive war by the United States.

The ill-informed and the irresponsible may talk wildly about "dropping the bomb." But those who understand the military position best know that without the active assistance of a dozen nations in Europe and Asia, not much of the military might of this country can be brought to bear upon the Soviet Union.

This is the military equilibrium which both worlds, it would seem, have found it prudent to recognize, not yet in their words but in their deeds.

Ups And Downs

By BRIAN TOBIN

"LIFE," said the Elevator Man, "is full of contradictions that arise from changing circumstances. You're always running into signs like 'Keep Off The Grass' even though the lawn is under a foot of winter water, or 'No Swimming Here' when the pool's been dried up for six months. Somebody forgets to change the regulation after the need for it has gone. And the result is that things begin to look pretty silly. You get a sample of it in that complaint that's been lodged against the U.S. Army. It seems that the army has a rule against wearing suspenders. But somebody's noticed that all army pants have suspender buttons sewed on them, every though you can't use them. With 2,000,000 men in the army, he figured out that there's about 12,000,000 suspender buttons going to waste. He knows that belts hold up the trousers, but he wants to know what's holding up a change in the specifications. Lower main!

"I guess," said the Elevator Man, "a lot of us are in the same boat. And if you're inclined to deny it, how about that appendix you're carrying around, that's as useless as a U.S. Army suspender button? But we have it in other departments too. We carry antlers around with us when there's no further need for them, like a fella who's worrying about forgetting to order the coal and then suddenly remembers that he's already ordered it. Or a mother who's concerned to bring up her baby in the best way possible, not noticing that 'baby' is now a gangling teenager who needs different treatment. Going down!

"A lot of this," said the Elevator Man, "is just grim determination not to face the facts. But much is also due to forgetfulness. We just never get around to changing to meet conditions. In fact, we're something like Brown, who retired from his office because of loss of memory. 'But I saw him there today,' said one clerk. 'Yes, poor chap,' said another, 'He's forgotten all about his retirement.'"



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Julien C. Hyer.

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MURDERS AND SICK SEAGULLS HAVE PLACE ON POLICE RECORD

Although most Victorians who brushed with the law last year did so because of meter violations, the police did a lot more than issue parking tickets.

The city police bulletin book, commonly referred to as the blotter, had 21,348 entries for the year.

The notations covered everything from murder investigations to disposition of sick seagulls.

Takes High Pari-Mutuel

LONDON, Jan. 2 (AP)—British racegoers pushed £25,556,496 through the pari-mutuel machines in 1951, a bigger total but a smaller average than in 1950.

The total was up £51,304 compared with a year ago but there were 13 more days of racing in 1951.

Pari-mutuels account for only a small part of the total betting since bookmakers are legal in Britain, both on and off the track.

Pari-mutuel tickets are sold here in denominations of two shillings, 10 shillings, £1 and £5.

One-Day Stands Out For Chisox

HAVANA, Cuba, Jan. 3 (AP)—Chicago White Sox are going to try something new this year to get their baseball team in the best possible condition.

"We are abolishing the old idea of one-night, or one-day, stands on the way home from training camp," said Frank Lane, White Sox general manager.

Lane said today one-night stands take the edge off the players before they start the 154-game schedule.

"On our way back from Pasadena, Calif., our spring training camp, we will make some stops all right, but they'll be for two to four days. That will give the players more time to rest."

Dykes Gets By Perez, But Barely

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (UP)—Welterweight challenger Bobby Dykes of Texas hopes to be much more impressive in his title fight with champion Kid Gavilan than he was Wednesday night while outpointing Gavilan's Cuban countryman, Raoul Perez, at St. Nicholas Arena.

Six-foot Dykes of San Antonio is scheduled for a title bout with Gavilan at Miami, Fla., on Feb. 4.

Elongated Bobby said today, "I was off form last night because I got over the flu recently. But I'll have a turn-up with Joe LaSalle at Tampa next week, and that'll put me in good shape to begin training for Gavilan."

Dykes, favored at 135, won the unanimous decision by a wide margin over Perez; but he was staggered in the sixth and ninth rounds and was so lethargic in the eighth that the 1,065 fans booed lustily.

Dykes weighed 151 pounds; Perez 145.

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RONALD ALFRED WOOD.
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WIFU To Give Final Verdict

REGINA, Jan. 3 (CP)—The Western Interprovincial Football Union will decide at its annual meeting here Jan. 19 whether it will admit Vancouver for the 1952 season and become a five-club circuit covering the four western provinces.

League secretary Bob Gillies of Regina reported Wednesday that Vancouver's formal entry application, accompanied by the \$25,000 "good faith" bond requested by the W.I.F.U., was received by the Jan. 1 deadline.

The next move is "anybody's" guess.

At its last annual meeting the W.I.F.U. unanimously resolved: "That the Vancouver club's application be ruled acceptable for 1952 subject to proper notification, and subject further to posting a bond of \$25,000 by Jan. 1, 1952, such bond to be returned to the Vancouver club if it completes the schedule."

PORTCHESTER, N.Y., Jan. 3 (AP)—Edward G. Barrow, former president and general manager of New York Yankees, entered hospital here Wednesday. The 83-year-old former baseball executive is expected to undergo surgery.

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Headquarters of the 4-H Clubs in British Columbia have been moved from Vancouver to Victoria.

Miss Echo Lidster, supervisor, has now established offices at Rooms 110-111 Douglas Building, Department of Agriculture.

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Harris Is Back And Viduals Have Got Him

It's great to be a hero as Steve Harris (centre) found out Wednesday night in his return to the Commercial Hockey League. Out of action for almost the entire first half of the schedule over a matter of who owned him, Harris recently received the blessing of the British Columbia Hockey League and hooked up with Individual Cleaners. In his re-

turn Wednesday he showed his old fire and scored one goal. Between periods, manager Dick Irving (left) and trainer Deans Blackstock were greatly concerned with Harris' comfort and handled him with reverent hands. But even Harris could not stop Seven-Ups from scoring three goals in the last period to win the game 3-2.

IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

Naturally the question of the moment is: "What's wrong with the Victoria Cougars?"

And the answer is equally as obvious: The club isn't jelling as a championship unit, or for that matter a contending squad in the current Pacific Coast Hockey League campaign.

The league standings tell the horrid story of last year's "champions all too well. The Cats are mired down in sixth place, only three points above the revitalized Calgary Stampede who at long last appear to have found their ice legs.

However, before enlarging on the apparent difficulties being encountered by coach Roger Leger in his attempt to mould a

winner out of a club that isn't as bad as the present standings indicate, it should be pointed out that, comparatively speaking, the Cougars are no worse off than they were a year ago.

It probably sounds odd to say this, but the fact remains that with the halfway mark of the season being reached, the Cougars are only one victory off last year's record. That triumph could come against Edmonton Flyers Friday night.

And if it does, it would not only end a winless streak at home that extends back to Dec. 7, but would leave the Cats with a mark of 33 points in 36 games, exactly the same total they enjoyed on New Year's Day last year.

However, things don't appear as rosy as last season, partly because of the memory of last year's club in the spring, and partly because there's the feeling that the 1951-52 edition of the team isn't capable of a repeat performance.

Leger isn't too happy with his problem and with Bob Ballance and Flori Goegan ready to step back into action within the next few games, there is every possibility that several line-up changes will be made.

This was indicated at Wednesday's practice session when Leger had Joe Medynski playing defense for the first time this year. Flori Goegan was also used in the scrimmage and though his knee felt a little stiff, otherwise he was quite pleased with the way the leg was responding to exercise.

Anything Can Happen And Probably Will

Another move had Doug Anderson back with Joe Evans for the first time in weeks with Ballance on the right flank. Jack McIntyre was working with Bob Bowness and Walt Atanas, while Eddie Dorohoy remained with Andy Hebertson and Bob Frampton.

Just how these moves will work out remain to be seen, though it's evident that a general shakeup is necessary to produce the results that until a week or so ago saw the Cougars as the highest-scoring club in the circuit.

Sympathy probably doesn't play any part in Leger's plans, but if the fans had their way they would like to see the "kid-line" reunited. They proved this on New York's Day when Reg Abbott took his place between Hebertson and Frampton and the kids responded with a goal within a minute.

But regardless of who Leger uses as pivot man between two of the better wings in the league, the fact is that some of the other units had better start producing or they'll be paying their room rent from day to day.

Barring further injuries, the club will be above numerical strength within a week or 10 days. Add to this the revelation that the Canadians have promised additional training as soon as it is made available and it can be seen all too readily that the sign "produce or else" will soon be hanging from the dressing room door.

Take Your Pick—Quakers Or Royals

As for the league race generally with all teams at the halfway mark, it appears that there will be two separate battles. The first will be between New Westminster Royals and Saskatoon Quakers for the league championship and the second between the other six teams for the remaining four playoff berths.

Seattle has the inside track on one post-season berth, but the Ironmen appear to have shot their bolt in a bid for the league title.

Edmonton, off its record, doesn't appear as any world beater, while Tacoma continues as the surprise package, being dynamite at home and winning just often enough on the road to remain in the middle of the race.

Calgary could be tough if the Stamps continue to improve as they have since their last visit to the coast. All of which, at the moment, leaves it up to the Cougars, Flyers, Rockets and cowboys to battle it out for the four secondary positions.

This puts Vancouver out in the cold, but then, that's where some Vancouver sportswriters and Edmonton scribes picked the Cougars to finish.

Time will tell.

FAMOUS LAST WORDS OF '51

I've Been Misquoted, So Help Me

BALTIMORE, Jan. 3 (AP).—If you picked Brooklyn to win the 1951 National League pennant or Notre Dame to beat S.M.U., move over, chum. You've got company.

Illustrious company, too. A whole hat full of potent predictions by limelights of the sports world backfired with a bang in 1951.

Just look back: Jan. 1.—Jockey Joe Culmone, who rode 388 winners in 1950 to the Willie Shoemaker for the year's racing honors and a 44-year-old record: "I'll break it next year for sure." (Culmone now is 150 winners behind Charley Burr, the 195-leader and hasn't had even half of 388.)

Jan. 2.—Albert B. (Happy) Chandler, after major league club owners denied him a new contract as baseball commis-

sioner: "I will remain at my post until the last day and the last second." (He quit July 15 with 10 months to go on his contract.)

Jan. 5.—Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons, veteran race horse trainer: "Big Stretch will be the leading three-year-old and win the Kentucky Derby." (Big Stretch was the 18th in the Preakness, and switched to training for jump races.)

Feb. 1.—Manager Casey Stengel of the New York Yankees: "I expect Joe Page to make a comeback." (Page was shunted to Kansas City early in the season, wound up in San Francisco.)

March 20.—Manager Steve O'Neill of the Boston Red Sox: "The Red Sox are the team to beat. We have a great chance

to win." (Sox finished third in the American League, 11 games behind the Yankees.)

March 26.—Consensus of "experts": "Can't see how the Red Sox can miss this time." (The record still says they finished third.)

April 3.—Jimmy Demaret: "I have been resting for the past six weeks and honestly expect to become the first golfer to take the Masters twice in a row." (Finished in a tie for 13th, 19 strokes behind Ben Hogan.)

July 5.—Paul Wrigley, owner of the Cubs, on signing Phil Cavarretta as new pilot: "He won't be rehired as our manager for '52." (In August, Phil was signed to '52 contract.)

July 12.—Randy Turpin, after outpointing Sugar Ray Robinson in 15 rounds in London: "I'm confident I can beat him again."

CLOWNS HERE JAN. 12; STARS' VISIT CANCELLED

A telegram from Abe Sapperstein has informed Pat Horgan, manager of the Individual Cleaners basketball team that the Kansas City Stars will not be in Victoria Jan. 12 as previously scheduled. A suitable financial arrangement could not be met between the two clubs.

However, the Harlem Clowns, another Sapperstein club, will play the Individuals that night. It had been previously planned to have the Clowns play Wednesday night and the All-Stars Saturday night.

The Harlem Clowns appeared in Victoria last year when they were called the Broadway Clowns. They defeated Individuals in a game that kept the fans in stitches over their antics as they mixed basketball with pure slapstick, ooball and football routines.

WALLOP FLYERS

Rockets Alone In Fourth Spot

Tacoma Rockets are no longer just a shareholder in a cartel controlling fourth place in the Pacific Coast Hockey League.

Improving their holdings at the rate of two goals a period, Rockets Wednesday night took an undisputed hold on fourth spot by defeating the touring Edmonton Flyers 6-2.

Rockets now hold a two-point edge over Flyers who, in turn, are two points ahead of Victoria Cougars, Tacoma's victims New Year's Day.

Until a few days ago Tacoma, Edmonton and Victoria were tied for the fourth place in the standings.

ADAM HURT Tacoma won the game but lost a player. Doug Adam, high-scoring Rocket forward, injured his knee in the third period and will probably be out of action for at least three weeks.

Doc Halderson scored two of the Tacoma goals while singles wukers to Mark Marquess, Wayne Brown, Adam and Wingy Johnson.

Colin Kilburn and Harry Backer scored both of Edmonton's goals in the second period. Kilburn at 5:10 and Backer at 11:15.

Halderson opened the scoring at 6:35 of the first period and then brought down the scoring curtain with a little more than two minutes remaining in the game.

Nine penalties were handed out. Prairie fans hold a monopoly on tonight's P.C.H.L. Only one game is scheduled, the seventh-place Calgary Stampede at Saskatoon. The high-flying Cougars are in second place, three points behind the New Westminster Royals.

TACOMA & EDMONTON 2
First Period—1. Tacoma, Halderson (Marquess, Godfrey, 6:35); 2. Tacoma, Halderson (Godfrey, 11:15).
Second Period—1. Tacoma, Brown (Backer, 5:10); 2. Tacoma, Backer (Halderson, 11:15).
Third Period—1. Tacoma, Halderson (Brown, 1:15).
Fourth Period—1. Tacoma, Halderson (Brown, 1:15).
Penalties: Tacoma, 11; Edmonton, 9.

Trail Smoke Eaters Wednesday 8:00 for the coast team's fourth straight hockey loss on the road.

It was the second shutout of the season for goalie John Sofiak, who made 16 saves to 42 for hardworking Doug Jackson of Nanaimo.

First period—1. Trail, Cook (Cavanagh, 10:40); 2. Trail, Cook (Hamilton, 17:08).
Second period—1. Trail, Cavanagh (Wright, 10:59); 2. Trail, Cook (Hamilton, 15:12).
Third period—1. Trail, Cavanagh (Wright, 17:01).
Fourth period—1. Trail, Hamilton (Cavanagh, 1:40); 2. Trail, Hamilton (Cavanagh, 1:40).
Penalties: Trail, 4; Nanaimo, 1.

PORTUGAL ENTRIES
OSLO, Jan. 3 (AP).—A last-minute entry from Portugal Wednesday increased the number of countries taking part in the Olympic winter games to a record-breaking 29.

One of the points mentioned was that there were too many penalty kicks given against experienced players. Mackenzie also said that there was altogether too much intentional falling on the ball in the loose.

Net gate receipts from the game totaled \$201.

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Victoria College and J.B.A.A. are currently tied for second place.

If poor ground conditions prohibit the use of Macdonald Park, then the game will be switched to Windsor Park.

City Rugby Union Seeks Change In Rep Cup Date

A letter requesting the McKennie Cup game between Crimston Tide and North Vancouver be rescheduled is being sent to the B.C. Rugby Union by the Victoria Rugby Union.

Original date for the game was March 1, but the local union feels that both teams would do better financially if it was rescheduled for January 26. In either case, the game is to be played at Brocton Point in Vancouver.

Dave Mackenzie, referee at the McKennie Cup game between Vancouver and Victoria on Boxing Day, filed a report on the contest at V.R.U. meeting Wednesday evening. He stated that on the whole, it was a good game, but did not hesitate to point strongly to various wrongs done on the playing field.

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Bottlers' Brew Too Potent For Viduals

Seven-Ups Remain In Top Spot

By DENNY BOYD

Well, apparently all the liquid refreshment was not consumed over the recent holiday period. At least Seven-Ups, leaders of the Commercial Hockey League, showed more kick at the arena Wednesday evening than a case of potables imported from Scotland.

As flat as home brew for two periods, Seven-Ups came back with sparkling fizz in the third period to rap in three goals and cop a 3-2 verdict from the suddenly-inspired Individual Cleaners side.

The win, from the crowd viewpoint, was not a popular one as the majority seemed to be pulling for the Cleaners. But the bottlers were not to be held back and their play in the final frame showed the persistence of a New Year's Day headache.

Seemingly tired from the game played at Kerrisdale Tuesday, the bottlers were completely dominated by the cleaners in the first two periods.

That there was no scoring in the first period was due more to Viduals' failure to finish off their plays than to Seven-Ups' defense, as the losers had a huge edge in play.

HARRIS CONNECTS

Bob Fowler put Individuals into the lead at 9:22 of the second frame as he scored after a concentrated attack from close in. At 14:10 of the same frame, Steve Harris made it 2-0 on a pass from Bob McConchey. Harris was playing his first game in individual garb and his second of the season. He showed he still is one of the cleverest forwards in the league.

LACREE GETS HAT

It was big man Lacree who snatched victory from the hungry teeth of the cleaners. Hopping like a cat on every loose puck, Lacree fired home the three goals that turned the tide.

The first of the trio came at 8:03 when Lacree, Ron Bremner and Ed Varga broke with two defensemen back. They outskated the first and passed the other out of position, giving Lacree a clear shot on goal.

The second and third goals were scored on rebounds as Derek "Bones" McConchey in the Viduals' net made sensational saves, but was beaten when the puck was not cleared.

MISSED EFFORT

Arnold Elliot of the Cleaners came within an inch of scoring the tying goal after Lacree's third, but his bullet shot hit the post with the goalie beaten.

In the first game of the night, Victoria Merchants and the Navy almost tore the boards down in their rib-bruising tussle before Merchants emerged with a 5-2 win to remain one point behind Seven-Ups.

IN HOT WATER

It was difficult to tell whether the players were more angry at each other than they were at referee Leo Ornest, but crunching body-checks were doled out to the participants and Ornest's every call was questioned loudly.

Len Elphick supplied a pair of early goals to potted a working margin. Heading into the wild third period, Merchants led 3-1, but Ab Taylor scored a brace to make it 5-1. The fifth goal was definitely questionable as the puck appeared to hit the post and bounce out. At Stanley scored the final Navy goal.

SMITH TO LEAVE

Al Smith, talkative wingman on Civil Service first line, announced before the final game of the night he would be leaving for the east Saturday for service in the Royal Canadian Air Force.

The popular puckster, who received a tryout with the Cougars two years ago, drew a great hand from the crowd and then got a present from his club mates in the form of a 3-1 victory over Army. Smith supplied the second goal in the victory. By virtue of the win, Civil Service jumped from the cellar to a tie for third place. Army forward Guy Vary robbed G-Man goalie Dave Friesen of a shutout at 12:05 of the last period.

VICTORIA MERCHANTS & NAVY
First Period—1. Merchants, Elphick (3:56); 2. Merchants, Elphick (4:26); 3. Merchants, Vary (10:16).
Second Period—1. Navy, Riches (10:40); 2. Navy, Riches (11:44).
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BLUESHIRTS ON MOVE

Rangers Again Humble Wings

New York Rangers have started the new year with a bang. The blueshirts, revived under new coach Bill Cook, downed the league-leading Detroit Red Wings 1-0 Wednesday night. The shutout put them within six points of Montreal and Toronto, tied for second place in the National Hockey League standings.

It wasn't so long ago that the New Yorkers were bobbing in and out of the loop cellar, along with Chicago Black Hawks. When Cook, a New York star for many years, took over a few weeks ago, they started the slow climb toward the first division.

On Tuesday night the Rangers blasted Boston Bruins 4-2 to knock the Beantowners out of fourth place. Their victory last night duplicated their 1-0 shutout last Wednesday when they ended Detroit's unbeaten string on the road at 15 games.

RAYNER HOT

Brilliant play by both goalies featured the contest. Illustrating the offensive mood of the new Rangers was the fact that Terry Sawchuk in the Detroit nets had to turn back 31 saves to 17 stopped by Chuck Rayner for New York.

Slim Don Raleigh banged in the deciding marker at the 12-minute mark of the first period. Rangers then promptly went to work to outskate and outcheck the league-leaders the rest of the way.

Defenceman Jack Evans and

French Champ Wins

PARIS, Jan. 3 (AP).—Auguste Coulet, French lightweight champion, Wednesday night gained a clean-cut 10-round decision over Juan Padilla, Mexico's 135-pound titlist, before a crowd of 15,000 in the Palais de Sports.

BISONS BOW TO BARONS

Murph's Luck Fails To Change At Buffalo

Pittsburgh Hornets maintained their 10-point advantage over the second-place Cleveland Barons in the western division of the American Hockey League Wednesday night, defeating Cincinnati Hawks 4-2.

The Barons, meanwhile, took their sixth straight victory, downing Murph Chamberlain's Buffalo Bisons 4-1.

In the eastern division, Providence Reds gained their first victory in four tries over the pace-setting Hershey Bears, walloping the Bears 7-2. Providence now is nine points behind Hershey.

In the only other game, St. Louis Flyers snapped an eight-game losing streak by whipping Syracuse Warriors 5-2.

At Pittsburgh, centres Bobby Massard and Phil Maloney snapped a two-game Pittsburgh losing streak by scoring two goals each.

Mickey Mackintosh and Herb Dickenson scored the Cincinnati goals.

At Cleveland, the Barons' Cal Stearns and Steve Woehy scored in the first period. Ken Schultz gave Cleveland a 3-0 lead in the second period and Joe Carveth added another for the Barons in

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Views Of Sport

By RED SMITH

NEW YORK.—This has been a season of soul-searching and breast-beating in sports, a gloomy time when many men have felt "cabin'd, cribb'd, confin'd, in toils, doubts and fears."

It was high time somebody spoke for the other side of the question, and by a happy coincidence somebody has. There was a speech by Mr. Jimmy Crowley, an eloquent and moving defense of college football and all it stands for by one who has known the game long and intimately from his own experience as player, as a big-time coach at Michigan State and Fordham, as commissioner of the professional and defunct All-America Conference, as coach of the equally mercenary, equally extinct Chicago Rockets.

The old left halfback of Notre Dame's Four Horsemen was talking about football as an instrument of human relations, about the indissoluble bonds of comradeship and tolerance and understanding which are forged in the furnace of team combat.

"Take me and Elmer Layden here," Mr. Crowley said, and with a protective gesture he laid a paw upon the shoulder of the skinny fullback of the Four Horsemen who sat beside him on the dais. "I'll never forget Elmer, and I feel confident Elmer will never forget me."

Greater Love Hath No Man

"We were playing Nebraska," Mr. Crowley said, "and we had the ball near the Nebraska 20-yard line, second down and a little less than a yard to go. Against coach Rockne's better judgment, Harry Stuhldreher decided to give Layden and Miller a rest and take a chance on me making a first down. He called my signal for a run off tackle.

"As I got the ball and started, a Nebraska tackle came through. He was the biggest and ugliest and meanest tackle I'd ever seen. His eyes were as big as saucers and they blazed with a wild, savage glare. He had his mouth wide open and his two teeth gleamed like the fangs of a saber-toothed tiger. His hands were like hams, his shoulders as wide as a door, and he bore down on me blotting out the sun.

"My friend Elmer, thin and frail, was leading me into the line. He took in the situation at a glance, and never hesitated. Gritting his teeth, shutting his eyes, he hurled his fragile body into the tackle's path, cutting the monster down with a tremendous crash.

"You can imagine my feelings, the gratitude stirred by my friend's unselfish devotion. I tell you, gentlemen, that was more than 25 years ago and not a day has passed since but I have thanked Elmer in my heart for that deed of sacrifice. There is a bond between us that time cannot wither."

Deadly Peril On The Gridiron

Mr. Crowley's voice was deep with emotion. He paused, gulped, took a delicate sip of water and continued.

"I would not have you think," he said, "that the camaraderie of the football field is limited to the members of the team. The lessons that are learned there can never be forgotten in this life. The capacity for friendship and understanding developed there embraces all human relationships, on the field and off."

"In that same Nebraska game," Mr. Crowley said, "we had the ball deep in our own territory, fourth down and nine. Stuhldreher made the orthodox decision for such a situation. He called the signal for Layden to carry through the line.

"As Elmer got the ball and started, the other Nebraska tackle came through. He was bigger and uglier and meaner than the first. His eyes were as big as dinner plates and they blazed with a cannibalistic light. His mouth was wide open and he had only one tooth, which gleamed like the tusk of a maddened boar.

"His hands were like standing rib roasts, huge and rare and red. His shoulders were as wide as a church door. He bore down on Elmer hungrily, grinning evilly, darkening the sky.

He Did The Only Human Thing

"I was leading Elmer into the line. In the twinkling of an eye, I sized up the situation. Everything, I knew, depended on me. I thought of that earlier play and how Elmer had saved me as Heaven knew what frightful cost to himself, and a hot wave of gratitude swept over me.

"Gritting my teeth against the grinding shock, shutting my eyes, I turned away. I couldn't bear to look."

Mr. Crowley paused again, and the room was very still. Only the speaker's own heavy breathing disturbed the tense silence.

"When they peeled off that tackle and scraped Elmer up," Mr. Crowley said, "he spoke, in a thin, reedy voice."

"Oh, Elmer, said, 'oh, how I wish Rock would play Harry O'Boyle at left half.'"

"Now mind you," Mr. Crowley said, "Harry O'Boyle wasn't even a regular on that team. And yet to this day there is an indestructible bond between Elmer and Harry, a friendship that football created and nothing can destroy."

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OPEN WINTER SCHEDULE

Skiers Head For Hills

Victoria Snow-Birds skiing club will begin their winter outdoor activities with the first of a series of regular scheduled trips to Mount Brenton Sunday.

Anyone wishing to make the

Huskies/Fifth In Hoop Poll

NEW YORK, Jan. 2 (UP)—The United Press basketball ratings (first-place votes and won and lost records in parentheses):

Team	Points
1. Illinois (15) (6-0)	302
2. Kentucky (14) (6-0)	292
3. Kansas (13) (10-0)	233
4. Indiana (12) (7-0)	208
5. Washington (10) (10-1)	203
6. St. Louis (2) (7-2)	197
7. N.Y.U. (11) (4-1)	186
8. Kansas State (8-3)	84
9. St. John's (11-1)	80
10. North Carolina State (12-2)	80

Second 10—Utah 35, Villanova 26, Iowa 19, Brown Hall 12, Notre Dame 16, St. Bonaventure 14, Oklahoma A. and M. 12, Minnesota, Duquesne, Louisville and Arkansas 9 each.

Others—Syracuse and Lasalle 6 each; Bluffton 5, Texas Christian 3, Tulane 2, Texas A. and M. 1.



Could It Be Tarzan?

Jack Kiser, who is well known in local wrestling circles, is literally out on a limb. Last week at the Bay Street Armories he stepped into the centre of the ring and announced that he would take on the winner of a bout between Kamel Mahmoud and villain Con Bruno. Bruno, who hates Kiser as much as the average boy hates castor oil, took exception to this and kicked Kiser in the pants. Kiser was so mad he challenged Bruno instead and will meet him Saturday on the main event of the four-bout card.

REPEAT PERFORMANCE

Reds Here For United Match

A natural has been lined up for the opening of the second half in the Coast Soccer League Saturday with Victoria United meeting North Shore Reds at Athletic Park, weather permitting.

The change in schedule was announced today by United president George Eade. Originally St. Andrews were scheduled to open second-half play but early this week firefighters were named as United's opposition. The second change was made from league headquarters Wednesday.

It will be recalled that United defeated North Shore in the opening game of the first round. The Reds going on from there to run up an unbeaten string and capture first-half honors. United finished in second place.

Though United's lineup will not be announced until following tonight's workout—again weather permitting—the North Shore starting squad was released today.

Frank Ashdown will be in goal with Harry Anderson and Ian Douglas at fullback and Alex Reid, G. Nordby and George Beckett on the half line.

Fred Whittaker will centre the attacking unit with Bobby Mould and Trev Harvey on the left side and Malcolm McManus and Bruce Ashdown at inside and outside right respectively.

Eade also announced a new starting time for the match—2.15.

North Shore, who will arrive on the morning boat from Vancouver, will strip aboard the ship in order to take the field at the earlier time.

Game time has been moved ahead in order to complete the match before darkness sets in. And cancellation because of weather conditions will be announced Friday.

Dykes Gets Nod

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (AP)—Lanky Bobby Dykes, of San Antonio, Tex., slated for a crack at Kid Gavilan's welter title Feb. 4 in Miami, jabbed out a unanimous 10-round decision over Raoul Perez of Havana Wednesday night at St. Nicholas Arena. Dykes weighed 151, Perez 145.

There will be a workout for all Victoria Minor Hockey Association peewee division teams at the Memorial Arena Friday morning from 7.30 to 10.

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GRID PACT TO REMAIN

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 3 (UP)—The long-suffering Pacific Coast Conference has no intention of calling "quits" to its Rose Bowl pact with the bruising Big Ten when the agreement expires in two years, conference commissioner Victor O. Schmidt indicated today.

Having lost all six games since the post-season pact was first signed between the two big conferences, including Stanford's stunning 40 to 7 loss to Illinois on Tuesday, the P.C.C. couldn't be blamed much if it were starting to think of pulling out.

But commissioner Schmidt said today "as far as I know, every school in our conference likes the pact with the Big Ten and wants to continue it."

Mizell Hailed As Certain Diamond Star

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 3 (AP)—A veteran baseball observer says Wilmer (Vinegar Bend) Mizell, a St. Louis Cardinal acquisition, may become "the greatest lefthander the game ever had."

Johnny Keane, last year's manager of Rochester Red Wings and a long-time member of the Cardinal organization, called Mizell a faster pitcher today than Dizzy Dean or Wild Bill Hallahan when they were in their prime.

He said Mizell also probably is faster than Lefty Grove was.

Mizell, called up by the Cards from their Houston Texas League farm, signed his 1952 contract Monday and will report to the Cards' spring training camp in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Vinegar Bend's record with Houston last season was 16 victories and 14 defeats.

Keane, now manager of the Cards' Columbus Club in the American Association, said all Mizell needs is a good change of pace.

Esquimalt Club Resumes Training

Nick Lyster, coach of the Esquimalt Boxing Club, announced Wednesday that his boys will resume training after a two-week layoff over the Christmas holidays. Workouts will be held in the Esquimalt Bowladrome Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7.30.

Lyster stated he was hoping to take a team over to Port Angeles in the near future.

NEW YORK—Bobby Dykes, 151, San Antonio, Tex., outpointed Raoul Perez, 145, Havana (10).

Huge Yule Bowling Meet Comes To Close Saturday

The Capital City's first annual Christmas fivepin tournament has reached high gear and when it is declared closed Saturday at midnight, 2,000 individual games will have been rolled.

In games recorded to date, a total of 45 games of 300 have been posted. In addition 15 three-game series of 800 have been recorded.

The spotlight in the tourney has been stolen by a woman, Mrs. Mary Chaykov, who has marked up sensational three-game series of 844, 786, 773 and 772.

The most impressive individual effort belongs to Frank Bendall with a high 362 game to his credit. Art Marchant follows closely with 358.

Cliff Waggoner leads the A all-events department with 2,571 and the A singles with 921. A. Brown of Ladysmith leads the B all-events with 2,219, while Alan Mutch tops the B singles with 823.

The top A team is Whizzbangs with 3,867, while The Boys top the B section with 3,259. In the A doubles Albert Kirkbridge and

Scoring Ladder Jammed In Coast Hockey League

At present, six players are sharing first and second places in the Pacific Coast Hockey League individual scoring ladder.

Joe Bell of Seattle, on the injured list for a week, and Victoria's Eddie Dorohoy are still co-leaders, each with 44 points, but they are being threatened by the four holders of second place. George Agar of Calgary, Alex Kaleta of Saskatoon, Ray Manson of Vancouver and Doug Adam of Tacoma are all bunched up in second place with 43 points and they have been scoring points while Bell and Dorohoy have remained fairly stable recently.

Dorohoy still holds the lead in assists with a whopping 31 while Gord Fashaway's 28 goals makes him the leader in that bracket.

Scoring leaders follow:

Player	G.	A.	Pts.
Eddie Dorohoy (Vic)	13	31	44
Joe Bell (Seattle)	24	20	44
George Agar (Calg)	19	25	43
Alex Kaleta (Sask)	19	24	43
Ray Manson (Van)	20	23	43
Doug Adam (Tac)	23	20	43
Ollie Dorohoy (NW)	21	21	42
Gord Fashaway (NW)	12	30	42
Larry Poplin (Van)	21	19	40
Guy Fidler (NW)	15	24	39
Ned Brian (Sask)	15	24	39
Art Hoberman (Vic)	14	25	39
Bob Frampton (Vic)	19	18	37
Esger Lager (Vic)	12	25	37
Joe Evans (Vic)	9	28	37
Don Anderson (Vic)	7	30	37
Jack McIntyre (Vic)	12	25	37
Reg Abbott (Vic)	2	35	37
Joe Modan (Vic)	2	35	37
Peter Goegan (Vic)	6	31	37
Bob Brown (Vic)	7	30	37
Bernie Strongman (Vic)	7	30	37
Ernie Baker (Vic)	6	31	37
Bob Ballance (Vic)	5	32	37
Bob Beaudry (Vic)	5	32	37
Walt Adams (Vic)	0	37	37

BOWLING SCORES

STRATHCONA LADIES' TENPIN LEAGUE

Strathcona—G. Dorsey 488, G. Elve 411, M. Willis 417, L. Weath 388, B. Latham 384, handicap 284. Totals: 594, 588, 578.

Aradon—E. Pross 433, B. Snow 371, C. Lewis 431, Mary Porter 406, Mary Conlon 373, handicap 128. Totals: 573, 606, 534.

Aradon won two. Arcades—J. Soltis 384, D. Bennett 411, D. Williams 409, L. Hughes 403, M. Balfour 387, handicap 18. Totals: 573, 605, 595.

Markham—J. Brown 355, M. Heaney 388, B. Harniman 385, G. Walker 355, E. Hume 443, handicap 219. Totals: 542, 528, 513.

Markham won two. Harbourside—E. Stables 482, B. Mercer 429, M. Richardson 392, E. Foster 371, D. Angus 388, handicap 237. Totals: 704, 587, 601.

Harbourside won two. Allan's Westsiders—E. Shaw 475, E. Eira 460, V. Gibson 387, E. Bone 428, M. Sharp 387, handicap 18. Totals: 704, 593, 528.

Stuarts—C. Hope 388, E. Graham 388, E. Sharp 388, Allen Walton 388, E. Poulson 348, L. Collier 408, handicap 210. Totals: 649, 708, 640—1,997.

Allan's Westsiders won two.

Brkich Signed

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 3 (AP)—John Brkich, who pitched for Victoria Athletics of the Western International League last year, has been signed by the Boise Pilots of the Pioneer League.

MATTHEWS TITLE HOPES KAYOED BY I.B.C.'S WEILL

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (UP)—Matchmaker Al Weill said today, "The I.B.C. has opened a lively boxing year by hitting Harry Matthews right on the whiskers."

Matthews is the Seattle light-heavyweight who was informed by the International Boxing Club Wednesday that he is "definitely out" as challenger for a title fight with champion Joey Maxim at Madison Square Garden, Feb. 22.

After weeks of bickering, Weill delivered the "out" punch by telephone to Matthews' manager, Jack Hurley, in Seattle. "We did the only thing we could to a challenger who hounded us for months and then wouldn't accept reasonable terms for a title match," Weill explained.

He said Hurley and Matthews had been offered 20 per cent of the net gate and 20 per cent of a probable \$100,000 from television and radio.

And when Hurley again rejected the offer Wednesday, "I told him Matthews is definitely out."

RICHARDS TAKES A.A.U. AWARD

Pole-Vaulting Parson Named America's Best

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (UP)—Bob Richards, the pole-vaulting parson from Chicago who is one of America's leading hopes for the forthcoming Olympics, today was named winner of the 1951 Sullivan Trophy, the nation's most coveted amateur award.

A panel of 487 sports authorities chose the 25-year-old Richards for the trophy from a slate of nine outstanding amateur athletes.

The award is made each year by the National Amateur Athletic Union to the athlete, "who by performance, example and good influence, did the most to advance the cause of good sportsmanship during the year."

Richards, an ordained minister and an instructor in religious philosophy at Loyola (Calif.) College, cleared 15 feet in the pole vault nine times during 1951.

In addition to winning the national decathlon championship in 1951, Richards received 174 first place votes and a total of 1,283 points to win the award by a comfortable margin. Maureen Connolly, of San Diego, Calif., the 17-year-old national women's tennis champion, was second in the voting with 115 first place votes and 903 points, while air force Sergeant Mal Whitfield, national 800-meter running champion, was third with 59 first place ballots and 754 points.

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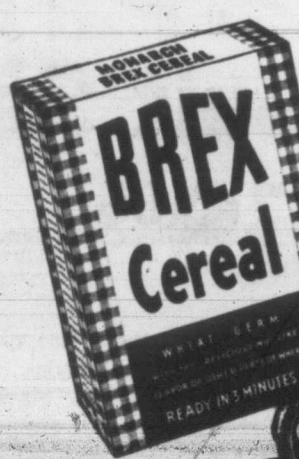
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ON THE SCREEN

ATLAS—"Captain Horatio Hornblower," at 2.24, 5.41, 9.03, plus "Junkie Head-hunter."

CAPITOL—"When World's Collide," at 1.31, 3.33, 5.35, 7.37, 9.44.

DOMINION—"Golden Girl," at 1.00, 3.39, 6.23, 9.22, plus "The Royal Journey," at 2.43, 5.27, 8.11.

FOX—"Christmas Carol," at 6.50 and 9.00. Doors 6.30.

OAK BAY—"Clouded Yellow," at 6.45 and 8.50. Doors 6.30.

ODEON—"Golden Horde," at 1.28, 3.23, 5.38, 7.43, 9.40.

PLAZA—"My Outlaw Brothers," plus "Two Lost Worlds."

RIO—"Summer Stock" plus "Ambush." Doors 6.00.

ROYAL—"My Favorite Spy," at 1.24, 3.25, 5.26, 7.27, 9.33.

Conservative Group To Hear E. C. Carson

Oak Bay Progressive Conservative Association will hear Works Minister E. C. Carson next Tuesday at 8, at St. Mary's Hall.

The meeting also will elect delegates to the Victoria federal association.

LONDON (CP)—John Hanlan recognized his initials on a walking stick up for sale in a second-hand store. He had lost the cane five years ago.

Notice to Skaters

Your attention is drawn to the fact that when carrying skates on buses, the blades must be covered with a suitable guard. This rule must be enforced in the interests of safety to other passengers.

B.C. ELECTRIC

MEMORIAL ARENA

THURSDAY, JAN. 3

Minor Hockey	7.30-9.30 a.m.
V.F.S.C.	10.30-12.00 p.m.
Cougars	12.30-1.30 p.m.
Public Skating	2.00-4.00 p.m.
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MICKEY ROONEY WANDA HENDRIX ROBERT PRESTON ROBERT STACK

ADDED THRILLS

Two LOST WORLDS

STARTS TODAY! PLAZA

Million-Dollar Air Base Blaze

TRENTON, Ont., Jan. 3 (CP).—At least three and possibly five R.C.A.F. planes were destroyed Wednesday in a fire that burned down a storage hangar at No. 6 repair depot. An air force spokesman estimated damage at upwards of \$1,000,000.

Robert Barrie To Continue T.L.C. Leader

Robert Barrie was nominated to continue as president of the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council at the council's first meeting of 1952, held Wednesday night.

His was the only name submitted for the job, although further nominations will be called before the annual election which is to take place at the next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, Jan. 16.

Barrie, who represents the chemical and explosive workers' union, took over as president half-way through last year when Charles Peck, of the electrical workers' union, resigned when his union withdrew from the council.

Percy Rayment, of the carpenters' union, was re-elected as secretary. It is likely he will be returned by acclamation.

Other nominations made Wednesday:

For vice-president: T. Gooderham; V. Baines; sergeant-at-arms: S. Harris, E. Allen, G. Bentham; organizing committee chairman, E. Allen, V. Midgley; publicity and press, V. Baines; legislative, H. Thayer; building trades, J. Quissey; unemployment, G. McIlvride, J. Martin; trustees, V. Baines, E. Callan, E. Oliver and R. Wootton.

IN HOLLYWOOD

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By BOB THOMAS
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One report was that seven planes had been lost. However, the air force said it had been established that two Lancaster bombers and a Grumman Mallard amphibian were in the hangar when it was swept by fire of undetermined origin and that "one or two" others might have been lost as well.

A crane used to lift aircraft was damaged beyond repair. Also lost were several barrels of oil and a quantity of high-grade kerosene, which fed the flames.

LARGEST DEPOT

The repair depot, Canada's largest, is commanded by Group Capt. D. H. MacCaul. It reconditions R.C.A.F. aircraft and uses the same runways as the main Trenton air force station nearby to fly planes in and out.

An R.C.A.F. spokesman at Ottawa said the fire was a "serious, regrettable loss, but not a major disaster." The air force had followed a dispersal policy and other repair depots were available across the country.

W.O. Russ Chessum, making his regular patrol of the station, spotted the fire shortly after 5 p.m. E.S.T. Flames were leaping high up the walls on the southeast corner of the 180-by-220-foot wood-and-steel structure.

Firemen from the air station and from the Trenton department, reinforced by firefighters from Belleville, nine miles to the east, battled the blaze for more than two hours and succeeded in confining the fire to the one hangar. Two neighboring hangars, from which planes were hastily wheeled by air force men, were scorched.

The fire was the second in two days in a Canadian armed services establishment. A small fire early New Year's Day damaged the Canadian army's central ordnance depot in Ottawa.

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Rooney hopes there will be a settlement with the second Mrs. Rooney, who has remarried. He has two children by her, one by Miss Vickers.

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WHO'S HERE

By R. E. PORTER

The slightly self-conscious air of Ye Olde English Yuletide gradually drifted away from the Empress Hotel Wednesday, to be replaced by the more customary atmosphere of dignified commerce.

Down came the holly and cedar boughs; up went little white cards, announcing the presence of various members of the ladies' ready-to-wear and gift-and-china fraternity.

The voice in the elevator boomed loudly of cleaning up the territory in only four months, at a cost of only 7 per cent of volume... gross, that is, mind you, not net. The man in the lobby complained bitterly because he didn't get the exact sample room he asked for. Agnes, the maid in salesmen's alley, smiled happily because she likes to be busy.

Four Canadian cities were represented by commercial travelers and manufacturer's representatives who checked in at the Empress today. From Montreal, E. H. Berish, J. M. Bernstein, M. M. Heft, J. M. Heft and J. Campbell; Toronto, R. G. Nenna; Vancouver, E. Ripley and S. Rubin; Winnipeg, H. Berger.

China, glassware, gift novelties, children's wear, ladies' wear, hats are among items offered.

Prof. Hans Ampele, is expected in Victoria shortly. It is not known whether or not he'll lecture while here.

Rev. E. J. Springett, prominent member of the British Israel World Federation, left Wednesday after spending Christmas and New Year here. Accompanied by his wife, he will visit Courtenay, Port Alberni, Nanaimo and Vancouver before returning to eastern Canada.

Mrs. Robert Barclay West-holme will be at the Strathcona for the next few weeks. A regular winter guest of the Strathcona, she has many friends in Victoria. Another winter visitor at the same hotel is Mrs. Winthram Galbraith of Prince Albert.

'Y' Winter Sports Tours Organized For Island Points

The Y.M.C.A. has an ideal set-up for winter sports enthusiasts. The "Y" is working in earnest to organize skating and skiing parties to Up-Island points this month.

For a one-evening outing the association is chartering a bus for a skating trip to Nanaimo, Jan. 18. It is planned to take between 25 and 30 people, leaving Victoria at 6, with skating at the Nanaimo Civic Arena for approximately three hours, returning home the same evening.

The following week-end, a party of 29 will leave Victoria by bus at 11 Friday evening and travel to Forbidden Plateau Lodge, arriving in time for Saturday morning breakfast.

They will ski all day Saturday and Sunday, under floodlights at night. The party will leave the lodge Sunday evening at 6, and arrive back in Victoria at 11.

Cost of the outing is \$20, including bus fare, board and lodging at Forbidden Plateau Lodge.

James Graham, 95, Leaves Big Family To Mourn Passing

A resident of Victoria for the past 40 years, James Graham, 3222 Milgrove, died here Monday at age 95.

He was born in Belfast, Ireland.

Mr. Graham is survived by his wife, Sarah, at home; four daughters, Mrs. S. Thomas, Mrs. J. Fredette, Mrs. T. Kelway and Mrs. F. Williams, all of Victoria; four sons, William John, of Corning, Sask.; James, of Eureka, Calif.; Robert, of Vancouver, and Sam, Victoria.

Surviving in addition are seven grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at Sands Mortuary Friday afternoon at 3.15. Interment will be at Royal Oak Burial Park.

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SHIPS AND MEN

Somebody Should Tell Facts Of Port's Life

By MONTE ROBERTS Times Marine Reporter

Some day when you have a few hours off-watch, and nothing to do, you might try to find out a few facts about deep-sea shipping and the Port of Victoria.

You might try to learn, for instance, how many ships used Ogden Point docks last year. If you find out, you would do me a good turn by letting me know.

Perhaps it's because I haven't yet gotten my sea legs—so far as Port of Victoria is concerned—but a dozen phone calls Wednesday served only to convince me nobody in this city has the information.

Haven't given up yet, though—and in the meantime, I "do" know 65 schooners sailed from Victoria for the sealing grounds—in 1952, that is.

The Mines and Technical Surveys Department, Ottawa, is seeking a motor vessel to be used for charting purposes in British Columbia waters. Presumably she'll be under control of the Canadian Hydrographic service, although Victoria members of that branch have not received official word on the exact purpose for which the vessel is intended.

Craft required should have accommodation for four passengers, two deck officers, two engineers, and 10 ratings, and should be capable of making a 2,000-mile cruise. Tenders are being accepted up to Jan. 18.

Trustees Fill Vacancy By Secret Ballot

Special to the Times
DUNCAN—Trustees of School District 65 will nominate a trustee at their first meeting of 1952 this evening.

This unusual situation was caused by the resignation of George Evans and failure of any other candidate to come forward for election last month.

Nominations will be made by secret ballot, than a name will be forwarded to Education Minister Straith for approval.

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Mystery Drama
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CANADIAN NEWS

Tremendous brush fire destroys 60 houses in 12 hours, causing 1 million dollars worth of damage in New South Wales.

Viscount Alexander speaks to the people of Canada.

Anthony Eden outlines government's program for peace in the world.

Bob Hope Hedy Lamarr

are a barrel of fun in
"MY FAVORITE SPY"

At 1.34, 3.35, 5.36, 7.37, 9.38

ROYAL
Now Showing

Boilermaker Fears Firm May Pick Brains Of Men

A word of caution was given Wednesday night against a move by Yarrows Ltd. to encourage its employees to bring forward ideas for increasing production and efficiency at the shipyard.

Speaking before a meeting of the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council, boilermaker delegate John Martin said he knew of instances during World War II where companies got ideas from employees "for two or three bucks or two or three hundred" and then patented the idea, making thousands for themselves.

He told of one Toronto company which, he said, saved \$347,000 out of one employee's idea and later fired 3,000 men.

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greatest diligence possible to see workers' brains are not going to be exploited," Martin claimed.

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Record Pension Cheques In January's Mailbags

A one-third increase in service disability pensions for Canadians is in effect today.

Approximately 5,000 veterans living in Victoria and Vancouver Island will benefit, Stan H. Okell, assistant district administrator of the Department of Veterans' Affairs, disclosed.

The cheques for delivery at the end of January will be at the increased rates.

Okell said the increased rates will boost the present annual disability pension liability for Vancouver Island veterans from \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000.

"It means an additional \$1,000,000 will be paid out to veterans on Vancouver Island this year," he said.

Okell pointed out that the sum did not take into account the increase pension rates granted to wives and children.

There is a big contrast between the disability pensions paid today with those paid in 1914, figures show. The pension

for total disability at the start of the First World War was only \$150.

This is how total disability pensions have gone up since 1914:

In 1916 the pension had increased to \$480 annually; in 1917 pension increased to \$600 annually.

In 1919 a 20 per cent bonus increased it to \$720 annually; in 1920 a 50 per cent bonus increased it to \$900 annually.

In 1925 the bonus was absorbed, rate \$720; in 1948 the rate was raised to \$1,128. Effective Jan. 1, 1952, rate increased to \$1,500.

The awards under the Pension Act are not subject to income tax and no restriction is imposed as to residence. Canadian pensions are payable today in almost every country.

The overall effect of these increases will be that all ranks from private up to and including major (army) or equivalent, will be entitled the same compensation; and their families will obtain the same consideration in the event of their deaths.

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FOOT JAMMED, OLD MAN DIES OF FREEZING

CAMPBELL RIVER—Ernest Carlson, 74, who died here New Year's Eve, from a death when his foot became caught in a picket fence and he could not escape, a coroner's jury learned Wednesday.

Jury found that Carlson, who lived alone at Willow Point, five miles south, apparently was trying to climb a fence when he was trapped.

B.C. Liberal Conclave Seen As Near Prospect

By GORDON FORBES

A full-scale convention of the British Columbia Liberal Party in the very near future now seems assured.

The decision is expected to come from the provincial executive meeting in Vancouver next Tuesday or Wednesday.

Harry G. T. Perry, association president, said in Victoria today the resolutions committee has received "many resolutions calling for an immediate convention."

Perry said he personally favored an "immediate convention."

He disclosed he recommended last fall to the advisory council that a convention be held last summer. His plea fell on deaf ears.

"I urged a convention for the summer before the Esquimalt by-election," said Perry. "I believe there would have been a different result to that tragic episode if a convention had been held."

"I have been in favor of a convention because the Liberal philosophy demands that the common man in the party have his voice in matters of high policy such as the continuation of Coalition," said Perry.

A Vancouver newspaper report, stating there were 14 resolutions urging a convention, had "incorrect information," said Perry. He declined to state the exact number. He said there are "a number."

"The matter of a convention will unquestionably be discussed at the executive meeting," declared Perry.

A convention is mandatory if at least 10 constituencies submit resolutions calling for one. Perry said he didn't have authority to divulge if there were sufficient resolutions to date to force a convention.

It was learned that some such resolutions had been submitted for the October meeting which was postponed.

TOP LIBERALS ONLY ELIGIBLE FOR PARLEYS

There are 151 persons eligible to attend the B.C. Liberal Association executive meeting in Vancouver next week, and 36 eligible to attend the advisory council meeting, officials said today.

Those who may attend the executive meeting are:

Officers of the B.C. Liberal Association; senior Senator J. H. King; Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew; senior M.P. George Cruikshank; party leader Premier Byron Johnson; the president of the B.C. Women's Liberal Association; the president of the B.C. Young Liberal Association; all federal M.P.'s; federal defeated candidates in the last election; all M.L.A.'s or defeated Liberal candidates at the last election; presidents of the 18 federal Liberal associations; presidents of the 41 provincial associations; the advisory council and the treasurer of the federal organization.

MOTHERS WARNED

Mumps Again Invade City And District

Mumps season is in high gear again, with 23 cases reported in Victoria and Esquimalt last week, according to figures released today by Dr. J. L. Gayton, medical health officer.

Since the present outbreak began the end of October, 190 cases have been reported in the city and Esquimalt. Other municipalities are getting their share.

The year 1951 saw 271 cases compared with 390 in 1950 and 286 in 1949.

There are rarely any complications with mumps and there is practically no quarantine, according to Dr. Gayton.

Red Extortion Notes Still Drawing Funds

Extortion demands from Red China are still being received by Victoria Chinese and are being forwarded to the Chinese nationalist delegate to the United Nations, an official of the Chinese Benevolent Society said today.

The spokesman could not say whether all extortion letters received by Chinese-Canadians were being ignored.

R.C.M.P. officials said they doubted if Canadian Chinese would ignore extortion demands. "There is no indication that payments have been stopped," said Supt. W. Harvison.

During the past month an estimated \$100,000 has been demanded in more than 1,500 letters received by B. C. Chinese alone, it was learned.

Lewis Resents Charge At Tories' Chief

Col. A. G. B. Lewis, president of the Esquimalt District Ratepayers' Association, has taken "strong exception" to Gordon Cameron's recent statement that Cmdr. A. C. Wurtele was scuttled by Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb in the Esquimalt by-election.

Cameron said Cmdr. Wurtele was scuttled by the P.C. leader when Anscomb announced the P.C.'s would not put up a candidate in the by-election.

Col. Lewis today said: "I wish to state emphatically that Mr. Anscomb had nothing whatever to do with the decision of our association not to run a Conservative candidate at the Coalition nominating convention. It was impossible to contest the riding owing to the agreement between our party and the Liberals to remain in Coalition for at least the life of the present Legislature."

The president said the decision was made at one of the largest attended meetings of his association, with only six dissenting votes.

"We decided to support the nominee of the Liberal party not as a Liberal but as the Coalition candidate. Mr. Anscomb has at no time interfered with the work of our association," said Col. Lewis.

Regarding Cameron's statement that Cmdr. Wurtele was a Conservative, Col. Lewis said that "is also open to question."

BLAIR FRASER DOING RESEARCH FOR B.C. POLITICAL ARTICLE

Blair Fraser, well-known Ottawa editor of Maclean's magazine and CBC commentator, left for Vancouver this morning after spending a day in Victoria researching a B.C. political story, due for publication next month.

Fraser's recent assignments have taken him to Ceylon (for the Colombo conference), to Korea and to England (for the British election).

Wednesday he lunched with Times editor Bruce Hutchison and later called on Premier Byron Johnson. In Vancouver he will attend the forthcoming Liberal meetings.

Mayor To See Minister On City Bond Problem

New Incumbent's Position Not Yet Known
As Early Police Conference Scheduled

Municipal Affairs Minister R. C. MacDonald will arrange a meeting with Victoria Mayor Claude L. Harrison to discuss the city's position regarding disposition of \$424,000 worth of unsold bonds.

MacDonald said today he felt he should review the situation with the new incumbent. He will try and have the meeting this week.

The city has asked the Cabinet's permission to raise the interest rates on the bonds from 3 3/4 and 3 1/2 per cent to not more than five per cent in an effort to sell them.

First reaction of the government, it is understood, was to insist that the city submit another by-law to the ratepayers because they had approved the borrowing of the money at certain specified rates of interest. Any increase, it was suggested, should be decided by the voters.

General feeling now is that the government will suggest that the city sell the bonds at a discount instead, and sell some additional bonds to make up the deficit.

The city was against this method of approach, but it remains to be seen how Mayor Harrison stands on the ticklish problem.



Beverley Goes Home Next Week

Four months of treatment at the Solarium crippled children's hospital will end next week for 16-month-old Beverley when the bright-eyed Vancouver miss goes home. But there are still others to be cared for and proceeds from the opening night of "Ice Cycles of 1952" Jan. 15 at the Memorial Arena will help out. The opening night will be sponsored by the Victoria Kinsmen Club—all money taken in will be turned over to the Solarium after expenses. Throughout the rest of the week, money taken in on programs and novelties will be turned over in its entirety to the Solarium. (Times photo by Bill Halkett.)

Civil Defense Safeguard Soon

B.C. Cabinet Studies Compensation Friday
On Report Of Ottawa Plan To Share Cost

British Columbia's Cabinet will consider Friday whether or not it will pay one half of compensation costs for civil defense workers hurt in the line of duty.

Word from Ottawa today indicated the federal government would bear one half the cost.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

It's happened again.

Two-year-old Paul Bourne locked the bathroom door from the inside at his 1930 Leighton Road home and then began to panic.

Instructions called by his mother from the outside went unheeded and police had to be called.

Rescue was made by Constable Nap Bouchard and B. L. Hannay.

Winston Churchill, of the Scott Apartments, reported to city police today his car had been broken into at the rear of his residence overnight.

The brass poles in the firehouse had lots of traffic during 1951.

During the year just past, city smoke-eaters were called out 892 times.

William Gates, 545 Dunedin, reported to city police today a camera was taken from his car Wednesday night.

Two Victoria eye specialists, Dr. E. H. W. Elkington and Dr. H. G. Grieve, are on their way to Mexico City to attend the forthcoming annual Pan-American Ophthalmological Congress.

Traveling both ways by air, they will be away about two weeks. They left city Wednesday, accompanied by Mrs. Grieve and Mrs. Elkington.

Frederick Sexton, 24, 1561 Gladstone, was remanded to Jan. 10 for preliminary hearing when he appeared in city court today, charged with manslaughter in connection with the Dec. 12 traffic death of three-and-a-half-year-old Elizabeth Fisher.

Four-year-old Marlene Wolcoski was reported progressing favorably in St. Joseph's Hospital today after being shot in the eye Wednesday with a B.B. gun pellet. Attending physician Dr. J. F. Tysoe said there was no danger of the child losing her sight. The accident occurred while Marlene was watching a 14-year-old boy practise shooting. A shot ricocheted off the target.

Ray Tod Parcells, 1536 Claxthorpe Avenue, pleaded not guilty when he appeared in court today to answer a charge of dangerous driving, arising out of an accident Dec. 18 on Hillside.

Parcells was remanded to Feb. 4 so that Mrs. Hilda Randall, 2829 Prior, a pedestrian injured in the accident, will be able to testify at his trial.

Mrs. Randall is in hospital with a fractured pelvis and fractured leg.

Fifty dollars in silver and three cheques for \$300 were taken from Brodie's Bakery, 2639 Douglas, police report. Alex Brodie, proprietor of the shop discovered the loss after police, making a routine check, found the rear door of the bakery open.

Driver Came Back, He Tells Court, But Nobody There

Jung Sing, of Duncan, was fined \$40 in city police court today when he pleaded guilty, through an interpreter, to a charge of failing to remain at the scene of an accident.

The accident occurred Dec. 6 on Fisgard.

Sing told the court he stopped temporarily to see what damage was done and then drove on to find a parking place before coming back. When he returned to the scene, he said, no one was there.

Sing was apprehended by R.C.M.P. in Duncan.



Victoria Snow Leaves Baby Cold

Carolyn Jones, 2 1/2, appears slightly puzzled, wholly unenthusiastic, about her first contact with snow. "What is it, mummy," she asks Mrs. E. M. Jones, 1163 Fort, as her mother shows her a handful of the stuff. (Times photo by Irving Strickland.)

Snow Blanketing Whole Of Island

By DON INGHAM

From four to six inches of new snow blanketed most of Vancouver Island today.

Snow started to fall in Victoria just before 8. Late this morning Port Alberni reported four inches of snow and more falling; Duncan was having a heavy fall, and Nanaimo and Courtenay reported plenty of snow at mid-morning.

Youth Gangs Blamed For Shop Entries

Juvenile gangs are believed responsible for an overnight series of breakings and enterings and attempted enterings of business premises along Douglas Street.

Five dollars in silver was taken from Clark & Cordick's feed store at 2503 Douglas after entry had been made through a trap door in the roof.

Drawers were ransacked at Vancouver Island Hardware Floor Company at 2100 Douglas but nothing was taken.

Residential Realty office at 2204 Douglas lost a small radio. Entry was gained by breaking a rear window and smashing through a plaster board wall.

Bucknerfield's feed store at 2105 Douglas showed signs of attempted entry.

"It is snowing heavily on the Malahat, and chains are necessary," the R.C.M.P. warned. "Sanding is of no avail until it stops snowing and ploughs can clear the road."

BUSES ON SCHEDULE

Public works equipment has begun clearing the Alberni summit, and Vancouver Island Coach Lines reports all trips made on schedule up to press time.

"With fresh snow our buses had plenty of traction," a company official reported. "I don't know how automobiles would fare."

Veterans' Stages reported "no difficulties," despite about five inches of snow in the Metchosin district. They will resort to chains if the depth increases appreciably.

SKATING DANGEROUS

Ice skating will be a perilous proposition with snow covering weak spots in the ice, according to Saanich police.

"Panama flats is still the safest spot and the only one to be recommended," an officer said. "We are urging skaters to take no chances with deep water."

City police repeated their warning that Goodacre Lake in Beacon Hill Park is definitely unsafe for skating.

Passenger Hurt Downtown Crash

Mrs. Doris Burrill, 1535 Davie, received undetermined injuries in an accident at Cormorant and Blanshard this afternoon.

She was taken to hospital by city police.

Mrs. Burrill was a passenger in a car driven by Arthur J. Burrill which was in collision with a car driven by Gordon V. Goodwin, Crystal Court.

LIQUOR STATISTICS ARE SURPRISING TO COURT

Spectators in the city courtroom gallery pricked up their ears this morning and learned something about the liquor business.

Glazen W. Paterson, chief clerk for the Liquor Control Board, took the witness stand in the trial of British seaman Victor T. Clifford, charged with theft of goods over the value of \$25.

The goods involved are 12 bottles of rum, contained in a case allegedly taken from storage at Ogden Point.

Cost of 12 such bottles from a government liquor store would be \$58.71, including sales tax.

Paterson, asked the value of the case of rum to the Liquor Control Board, checked an invoice slip and declared it was \$8.08, in bond.

The testimony took the courtroom by surprise.

Magistrate H. C. Hall remanded Clifford until Friday for judgment. Accused has denied taking the liquor.

THEY LOVE FREEDOM BEST

Swans, Promised Princess, Shy Of Trap

By HUMPHREY DAVY

Princess Elizabeth on her visit to Canada in October got a scroll stating she will receive six trumpeter swans from B.C. but she is still waiting for the birds.

This was learned today from R. H. Mackay, Dominion wildlife officer for B.C., who is in Victoria to show the film "Duck Hunters' Dilemma" to members of the Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association at the Sirocco Club tonight at 8.

The Princess was still waiting for her birds because it was a case of "no catfish swan," Mackay explained.

The swans are for the Severn Wildfowl Trust, of which the Princess is patron, he said. The trust boasts of having every species of wild fowl in the world, except of course, trumpeter swans.

Mackay said since the beginning of November they have been attempting to trap the swans at Lonesome Lake where a large flock of the birds stays all year round.

"They just don't want to be trapped," said Mackay. "The warden is able to feed them practically out of his hands, but when it comes to stepping into a large trap made of nets, the birds just turn away disdainfully."

Mackay said he kept in contact with developments at the Lonesome Lake Sanctuary by telephone. "If we catch any we fly up," said. "We hope to be able to get a few soon."

The wildlife expert said he was determined to get the birds even if it meant staying weeks at the bird sanctuary. "We just have to get them," he said.

SHOPPING GUIDE

Soap And Water Is Your Means Of Winter Beauty

By PENNY SAVER

Winter sometimes seems like a plot against a girl's beauty. She has to cope with steam heat and over-heated rooms indoors. And biting winds and freezing temperatures outdoors. Yes, even in Victoria, a poor girl goes through these ordeals.

Unless she's careful, winter will leave its little tale marks of chapped, reddened and roughened skin.

Beauty, we are assured by the best authorities, comes from within. But it takes a certain amount of exterior finishing, summer or winter. Especially winter.

Canadian girls are quite rightly described as having that "clean, fresh look," due to frequent application of good old soap and water. In winter, keeping the "scrubbed look" means the Canadian girl must take a little forethought.

One of the best times for thorough scrubbing with soap and water is at night, just before going to bed—when you don't have to face roughening winds immediately. A soft bath brush helps with back washing. Some doctors recommend using your soapy fingers to wash your face, followed by rinsing with clear warm water. Then, in the morning, wash briefly and quickly as a freshener.

And never forget to cleanse your face with soap and water before applying fresh

make-up for an evening affair! You should remember, too, to wash your face after exercise to remove perspiration.

If your skin tends to be oily, it needs vigorous washing to keep it clean. Too gentle treatment, a beauty authority reports, might allow oil to accumulate in the pores, or result in a dull looking skin. Use a soapy wash cloth, with abundant lather, and hot water. This will stimulate as well as cleanse. Don't skimp on rinsing your skin. It could be disastrous.

If your skin tends to be dry, or chapped from exposure, don't skip soap and water washing. But use only lukewarm water, never hot. Work up a light lather on a soft brush, then apply it lightly. Rinse with clear water, and use a little cream or hand lotion. Then put on your makeup. See! Isn't it simple? You don't need a closet full of this cream and that one. Turn on the tap, lather up a good bar of soap and you're on the road to new skin beauty—at much less expense too!

BOON TO HOUSEWIFE

Treasures In The Pantry Help Liven Up Winter Meals

The Canadian fruit season ends all too soon for those who enjoy the flavor of fresh, juicy fruits. During these winter days when Mrs. Homemaker buys canned fruit at the grocery or lifts a tin from her pantry shelf, does she realize how this has been made possible?

In 1860, less than 100 years ago, Louis Pasteur announced his theory of fermentation and food spoilage. From this time on, the art of canning took on a scientific aspect. Research in all its phases has continued right to the present day to improve canning facilities, and today Canadian canneries are turning out millions of cans of fruit for winter meals.

Canned fruits are graded fancy quality, choice quality and standard quality for the benefit of the consumer. These grades are determined by the appearance, maturity, color and size of the fruit and the clarity of the syrup. The fancy grade should be used for special purposes where uniformity of size and color are important, for example salads and shortcakes. The choice grade may be used in a similar way to the fancy, but it is not as uniform in size and color. This grade is more economical for family salads and desserts. The standard grade fruit is not uniform in size, but may be used for puddings, gelatine desserts and frozen dishes, where appearance is not important. For information on grading write to the Department of Agriculture in Ottawa, for the free booklet, "Buy By Grade."

Ideas for the use of canned peaches, pears and plums to make winter meals more attractive and enjoyable are many and varied. Pears and peaches may be spiced and served with meat or poultry. To do this, drain the syrup from the canned fruit. Add a little cinnamon and cloves and

simmer about 10 minutes. Then pour the hot syrup over the peaches or pears and allow them to stand in it for a few hours so that the spice flavor will penetrate the fruit. Pears spiced with ginger, instead of cinnamon and cloves, are especially good with Chinese foods. Another way to use fruit with meat is to fill peach halves with sweet pickle relish, heat them for a few minutes in the oven and then arrange them on a platter around the roast. Pear halves sprinkled with cinnamon and sugar and broiled make a tasty accompaniment for pork chops, sausages or ham.

Broiled canned peaches can double as a garnish for the meat course or as a dessert to climax the dinner. Start with a can of half peaches and place them in a baking dish, pit side up. Pour a little melted butter over them and broil or bake in the oven, until they are heated through and lightly browned. Serve them hot with red jelly in the centre for color contrast or if served with lamb, use mint jelly. For a hot-and-cold contrast serve the hot peaches with a scoop of ice cream, as a delicious ending to dinner.

Many desserts may be made with canned fruit. One way to bring new flavor to the mid-winter meals is to serve peaches or pears with nippy cheese or plums stuffed with creamed cheese. A quick and easy toasty dessert is made by tucking buttered slices of bread into muffin tins. Then half-fill with drained fruit and bake until bread is crisp. Serve hot or cold with a little whipped cream or custard sauce.

Remember that canned peaches may be used for pies and tarts. Pear and peach shortcake or upside-down cake are always family favorites while peaches and plums may be used to make winter-time puddings. All three fruits may be used in gelatine desserts.

4835 2-10
by Anne Adams

What She Wants!

Big fashion for the small set! Sweet scallopy jumper is just what a little girl loves. That darling tulip pocket is the first sign of spring. Make a plain jumper and two or three blouses in spring prints and colors!

Pattern 4835 in children's sizes 2, 4, 6, 8, 10. Size 6 jumper takes 1½ yards 35-inch fabric; blouse takes 1 yard 35-inch.

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by Alice Brooks
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This would make a grand gift for a New Year Baby! Pattern 7133; transfer 8½x14½ inches. Send 25 cents in coins for this pattern (stamps cannot be accepted) to the Times, Household Arts Department, 60 Front Street W., Toronto 1-A, Ont. Print plainly name, address, pattern number.

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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Dust Off Your Heart; Give It Fresh Thought

Dust off your heart! In his book, "The Story of My Heart," Richard Jeffries wrote, "my heart was dusty, parched for want of the rain of deep feeling; my mind arid and dry, for there is a dust which settles on the heart as well as that which falls on the ledge."

"A species of thick clothing slowly grows about the mind, the pores are choked, little habits become part of existence and, by degrees the mind is enclosed in a husk. I felt eager to escape. An inspiration—a long deep breath of the pure air of thought—could alone give health to my heart."

Those beautiful words tremble with painful meaning for anyone who is lost to his dreams, anyone who is a stranger to keen feeling or inspiration. Even while reading them the yoke of daily routine lifts and one finds himself in touch with the forces of

life which give the heart eternal youth and refresh the body.

Man was not made to live in confusion and hecticness. The heart does become dusty when mundane daily habits hem it in, when the mechanics of living become the paramount importance in every day. The fire of enthusiasm and love, and an understanding of the sweep of living are food for the heart.

Most persons find themselves caught in a vice of responsibility where they somehow do not take time for dreaming and the heart withers from lack of use. Yet one can escape on the wings of the spirit and mind through love, literature, music, the theatre, new experiences, time spent alone, and close contact with the moods of nature.

Many persons escape through the spiritual elation which comes from service to others; service given with a whole heart.

Perhaps these words will quicken your mind and heart with remembrance of love that was dauntless, of enthusiasm which could not be dampened by circumstance, of awareness which dramatized every day, of dreams which reached far past the far horizons. Where are they?

Do not allow your emotions and your mind to atrophy. Dust off your heart!

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Club Women's News

Annual Party—League of Roses (Lancs. and Yorks.) held their annual party recently. Carols were sung followed by games and a quiz contest. Monologues were given by Mrs. G. Baker, C. M. Kennaugh and Miss L. Egan. Mrs. E. Limar sang several selections accompanied by Mrs. D. Hawthorne. R. Clarke, assisted by A. Blamire, was master of ceremonies. Refreshments

were served by Mrs. B. Clarke, assisted by Mesdames E. Blamire, J. Charlton, D. Ettinger, C. Kennaugh and A. Jones.

Carné Rebekah Lodge No. 45, tonight at 8.

Women's Benefit Association, No. 1, K. of P. Hall, Monday at 7.30. Installation of officers.

Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute monthly meeting, Sooke Community Hall dining room, Friday at 8. Mrs. D. J. de-Rochie will preside.

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of women's smart footwear. Broken lines of dress shoes drastically reduced during this sale. You can save money by buying now!

11.00 Values for 5.95

Group of Pumps, Sandals and Slings, including red, blue and black.

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Large group of Comfy Bedroom Slippers
Sizes 4 to 9 in the group
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1⁴⁵

10.50 Values for 4.95

Large group of Smart Pumps in suede or leather. Cuban and high heels. These are up-to-the-minute styles, but sizes are broken.

Values to 10.50. Sale Price

4⁹⁵

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Between Ourselves

By ELIZABETH FORBES

H-m-m-m! Isn't it g-r-a-n-d to get back to the ordinary routine of life?

Here at the office we've taken the decorated trees down, tucked the greeting cards away in a drawer for future reference. And looking ahead we can see—just appearing over the horizon—a spate of annual meetings that at a distance look like good homely fare after the holiday festivities.



In most homes the last bit of cold turkey has been eaten and it's quite likely a good Irish stew is in the process of being made. For awhile there'll be plain puddings for dessert instead of mince pies.

And we'll soon be looking for the first snowdrops, the crocus flowers and the gay little primroses.

"I know it's snowing as I write this—but even in the ordinary routine of life—we can dream, can't we?"

In the mail this morning is a letter from Mrs. Paul Meyer postmarked Guayaquil, Ecuador, where her husband is now stationed as American Consul-General.

The Meyers spent two years in Victoria as representatives of the United States government before going to Ireland a little over a year ago, and in June this year to Ecuador.

Interested in people and with inquiring minds that must delve into backgrounds and know something of origins, this friendly couple acquired a knowledge of Victoria and of British Columbia in their brief stay here, that was astonishing.

And from Harriet Meyer's letter it looks as though they are going to "have a lot of fun" doing the same things in Guayaquil.

Written on Dec. 28 it commences: "The city this morning is like an old damp stone which someone has shifted slightly so that odors of wetness ooze and creatures crawl to the light. The rainy season is here; a bit early the old-timers say."

"And the much talked-of grillos, a kind of cricket-cockroach with the chirp of the former and the appetite of the latter. They breed up the Guayas River and once a year usually at the beginning of the great heat and wet, they swarm down to the city. In recent years intense campaigns have had some effect in decreasing the plague but the tales we've heard and the warnings of what to do in grillo season!"

No Monotony—But No Twilight, Either!

"They say that it is monotony not heat that gets you in the tropics," she continues, "but there is no monotony yet. From the day we arrived there have been scarcely two days alike in temperature and the only sameness is the rising and setting of the sun. Six to six, that is the schedule. It has been hard to get used to the early evenings."

"I have never seen such lovely looking women," Harriet Meyer writes, "and they talk with grace and such an air of distinction. I suppose it is something of their Spanish inheritance plus their Indian inter-mixture for the Sierra Indians are given to carrying burdens on their heads."

"Paul and I often sit out at a sidewalk cafe on a Sunday morning and watch the church parade. It is an old Guayaquil custom; to promenade after church. Now, so many of the people own cars that the rich ride slowly up and down the main street in their Cadillacs and Mercurys and give their ladies time to bow and stare."

"And such pretty clothes! Nearly everyone sews and makes her own for there are no shops that sell dresses. I doubt if you could buy a ready-made dress in the entire city."

"You can buy a range of materials from the States, Switzerland, and Italy."

Language difficulties pop up as the letter tells you: "No one speaks English. I have never been anywhere—even in the Orient—where English is as little used as it is in Ecuador. In self defense I have to learn Spanish and I am speaking it after a fashion and with the help of my two hands—because even though I took over servants who had worked for successive American consular families none of them will use a word of English."

The Meyers have already taken a trip by rail to Quito, "up through the Andes mountains, past volcanic peaks like Cotopaxi and Chimborazo and at one point the railway climbs a five per cent grade." And they are looking forward to more exploring.

"We both miss our friends in Victoria," the letter concludes, "and speak of them all very often. We hope 1932 will be a year they will cherish."

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

An Anniversary Tea

Miss Evelyn Rogers, Michigan Street, was hostess on New Year's Day to mark her mother's 25th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. B. M. Brown proposed a toast to Mrs. A. Rogers and Mrs. J. A. Dinmore, aunt of the guest of honor, presided at the tea table.

Guests were Mesdames E. Barrett, C. Ruffell, A. Robinson, R. Gieves, R. Amos and Miss Myrna Amos.

A Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Russell, Kirkland, Wash., formerly of Victoria, arrived in the city recently with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. Russell Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. E. Campbell, to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell were married in Rutherglen, Scotland. A family party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Elk Lake, marked the occasion. A two-tier wedding cake surrounded by holly and candles was cut by the anniversary couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell's other daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stewart, Hollywood, Calif., were unable to attend.

Miss Shirley Simpson, bride-elect of this month, and her mother, Mrs. Cecilia Simpson, are leaving Monday for Saskatoon where the marriage will take place on Jan. 11. This evening they will be honored at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Frankland, Ascot Apartments.

Three weeks of snow at the Forbidden Plateau Lodge has ensured a good holiday for guests at the lodge. Recent visitors from Victoria were Mr. and Mrs. Cliff McInnis, who were on a honeymoon before Mr. McInnis returns to the University of British Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur

Lionel, and Mr. E. S. Rose and party. From Vancouver came Dr. H. Locke Robertson and children, Tam, Ian, Stuart and Beatrice. Master Malcolm Turnbull was also with the party. Also from the mainland city were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harrison and daughters, Barbara, Nicola and Jeremy.

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A Portrait Of Bridal Beauty

A recent ceremony in St. Luke's Anglican Church, Cedar Hill, united in marriage the former Norma Jeanette Proud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Proud, Brentwood Bay, and Robert Orville Munson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Munson, Calgary, Alta. Canon Frederick Pike officiated. The newlyweds are honeymooning at Harrison Hot Springs. (Photo by Leonard Holmes.)

Beverly Ross Feted

Mrs. A. D. Angus was hostess at a shower last evening in the Henderson Road home of her mother, Mrs. F. Iving, in honor of Miss Beverly Ross, bride-elect of this month. The guest of honor was presented with a gardenia corsage and her mother, Mrs. R. Ross, and mother of the groom-elect, Mrs. J. P. Wilde, received pink carnations. Gifts were concealed in a decorated basket and the refreshment table was centred with pink and gold chrysanthemums.

Guests were Mesdames W. O. Cameron, L. Norbury, F. Iving, Misses Jean Mill, Lynn Balcolm, Lois Pomeroy, Lois Gibson, Doreen Olson, Helen Moore, Jessie Sutherland, Irene Morley, Eleanor Hess and Jacqueline Iving.

Miss Ross was honored at a shower by Mrs. Margaret Fedun, Misses Lois Gibson and Miss Agnes Maitland at Shawinigan Lake, her former home. The guest of honor was presented with a gardenia corsage and her mother received white chrysanthemums.

On New Year's Eve, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Briers, Beechwood Avenue, honored Miss Ross and her fiancé at a pantry shower prior to a New Year's party. Art McKim, cousin of the bride-elect, dressed as a farmer, wheeled the gifts in a wheel barrow. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wilde, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. K. Chernoff, Mr. and Mrs. A. McKim, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Briers, Mr. and Mrs. F. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oosterink, Misses Marilyn Briers and Duke Riggs.

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LONDON, Jan. 3 (CP).—Incidents in the daily lives of the Royal Family which do not reach the public ear are recorded in a book by L. A. Nicholls, accredited Buckingham Palace court correspondent.

Entitled "The Royal Story" (Macdonald), the book recounts how Princess Elizabeth visited the "individual pie" department of a large firm and asked the question uppermost in everyone's mind: "Aren't you ever tempted to eat any of them?"

The frank reply of the worker: "Yes, I am occasionally," amused the Princess as much as anyone.

Another time the King and Queen, visiting the provinces, called at a farm. The head of the household ceremoniously introduced his relatives. "That's me sister and that's me brother. This is me. That's me wife and that's me son."

"Ah," replied the King smiling, "now we know."

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cumming, Toronto, formerly of this city, left today for their Ontario home, and en route will stop over with friends in Vancouver and Winnipeg. While in Victoria they were guests of Mrs. Joe Gorman, Linden Avenue.

Mrs. Marc Lavoie, wife of P.O. Lavoie, who is serving aboard H.M.C.S. Athabaskan in Korean waters, has returned to her home on May Street. With their children, Mrs. Lavoie has spent the past four months visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cook, at Redondo Heights, Kent, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Cook returned to Victoria with the Lavoies to spend the New Year with them and with another sister, Miss Josephine Murray, Blanshard Street.

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Her next part was dark-haired Bianca in Orson Welles' "Othello" at St. James' Theatre, which came off just before Christmas. This was the greatest thrill of Dianne's career in London. One of her aims in coming here was

to study voice control, and she says it's a lesson in itself just to listen to Welles.

She got the part of Bianca after appearing with Welles on Radio Luxembourg in "The Lives of Harry Lime," the character from "The Third Man" film.

Dianne has also made one film, "Quiet Woman," starring Derek Bond and Jane Hylton. Now she is at work on "Lost Hours," with Jean Kent and Montreal's Mark Stevens, playing the part of a loose-living red-head while Jean, who generally takes this type of part, wears the halo.

Dianne, a dark-haired, five-foot-two Canadian, came to London in July, 1930, on holiday after two years in radio in Toronto. As with many another Canadian entertainer, the holiday soon turned into a business proposition. Now Dianne has a five-year contract with a British film company and has just finished her second stage appearance.

Her first dramatic role in London started last February in Agatha Christie's thriller, "The Hollow." She played Veronica Gray, a middle-aged blonde actress and one of the principal suspects in a murder case.

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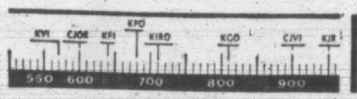
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A new chapter in Antarctic exploration began with the organization in London of the Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey, whose first team sailed in December, 1943, to set up and occupy permanent bases in Grahamland and the off-lying islands administratively attached to the Falklands. The object was to continue the accurate mapping of the dependencies, to investigate the origin and movement of weather depressions in the Antarctic and to study the geological and biological resources in the area. Tonight at 8 on CBR Trans-Canada will carry a half-hour BBC-transcribed program telling the story of the survey and including first-hand

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Friday Bargain, each

5⁹⁵

EATON'S—Toiletries, Main Floor

Linoleum Remnants—1/2 Price

A good assortment of colours and patterns of inlaid and print linoleum. Some are large enough to cover small kitchens or bathrooms. Shop early for best selection as this is an outstanding saving. Friday Bargain.

30^c to 7⁵⁰

EATON'S—Floor Coverings, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Save! Used Ranges

A large selection of used ranges clearing at substantial savings Friday. Included in the group are gas, oil, wood and coal burning stoves, also combination models. Friday Bargain, each

35⁰⁰ to 149⁰⁰

EATON'S—Major Appliances, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

20-Piece Breakfast Sets

Coloured pottery sets in green, yellow, grey and rose. Consists of 4 cups and saucers, 4 breakfast plates, 4 bread and butter plates, 4 cereals.

Friday Bargain, set

4⁹⁸

EATON'S—China, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

"Candlewick" Glassware

Attractive shapes with "Mayflower" design on each piece. Included in this group are candy jars with covers, mayonnaise sets, footed fruit bowls, vases, oval shape serving plates, round serving plates in three sizes. Friday Bargain, each

1⁶⁹ to 2⁹⁵

EATON'S—China, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

**Outstanding Savings On
Japanned Ware**

Clearing our entire stock of three very well-known designs in japanned ware for the kitchen . . . "Poppy" . . . "Sunflower" . . . "Fantasy."

"Poppy" Pattern	Match Box Holder, regular 35c each. Friday Bargain, each	19c
Salt and Pepper Shakers, regular 19c each. Friday Bargain, each	Jumbo Waste Baskets, regular 1.75 each. Friday Bargain, each	98c
Cake Cover and Tray, regular 1.45 each. Friday Bargain, each	Double Bread Box, regular 3.25 each. Friday Bargain, each	1.98
"Fantasy" Pattern	Cake Cover and Tray, regular 1.25 each. Friday Bargain, each	59c
Double Bread Boxes, regular 2.50 each. Friday Bargain, each	Refuse Cans, regular 1.49 each. Friday Bargain, each	79c
"Sunflower" Pattern	Serving Trays, regular 69c each. Friday Bargain, each	39c
Cake Cover and Tray, regular 1.39 each. Friday Bargain, each	Oval Waste Baskets, regular 75c each. Friday Bargain, each	45c
		59c

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**Men's and Boys'
WINTER WEAR****Men's Low-Priced Jackets**

A Bargain Day clearance of over-hip length jackets in fine quality corduroy. All have fur storm collars . . . satin quilted, wool-filled lining. Colours of rust and grey. Sizes 36 to 44, collectively. Regular 29.50. Friday Bargain, each

EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

19⁹⁹**Men's English
Interlock Underwear**

Closely woven, winter-weight cotton-knit underwear priced way low Friday! Shirts are athletic style, sizes 36 to 44. Shorts in brief style, sizes 34 to 42. Regular 1.50.

Friday Bargain, garment

99^c

EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Pants Sell at 1/2 Price

Wool and rayon gabardines, serges and flannels in this group of men's pants selling at half the regular price! Casually tailored with pleated fronts, zipper closing and cuffed bottoms. Colours . . . blue, grey and tan . . . sizes 29 to 44 collectively. Regular 12.95.

Friday Bargain, pair

6⁴⁷

EATON'S—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Save on Boys' Serviceable Breeches

Clearing at a substantial saving to you . . . boys' hard-wearing wool melton cloth and tweed breeches. Some have leather knees for extra long wear! In greys and browns . . . Sizes 8 to 14 years. Regular 5.95.

Friday Bargain, pair

3⁹⁹

EATON'S—Boys' Wear, Third Floor

Boys' All-Wool Pea Jackets

Popular with all the younger crowd . . . and easy on your pocketbook! Navy, all-wool melton cloth pea jackets . . . double breasted with four pockets and red kasha cloth lining. Sizes 6 to 16 years. Regular 14.95.

Friday Bargain, each

9⁹⁵

EATON'S—Boys' Wear, Third Floor

Leather Goods—1/2 Price

Italian tooled leather picture frames, snapshot albums and telephone book covers . . . all clearing at half the usual price. Regular 2.95 to 15.75.

Friday Bargain, each

1⁴⁷ to 7⁸⁷

EATON'S—Handbags, Main Floor

Simulated Pearls—1/2-Price

Lovely pearl necklaces in 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8-strand styles. Beautiful rhinestone set catches. Regular 5.00 to 30.00.

Friday Bargain, each

2⁵⁰ to 15⁰⁰

EATON'S—Jewellery, Main Floor

Girls' Tailored Blouses

Short sleeved blouses in fine cotton and rayon mixtures that should wash and iron well. These are slightly shopsoiled. Sizes 7 to 12 in the group. Regular 3.98.

Friday Bargain, each

2⁹⁸

EATON'S—Children's Wear, Second Floor

Boys' Cotton Knee Socks

Save on practical socks for school wear! Made in a rib knit with neat elastic tops. Plain colours of brown, grey, navy with contrasting coloured tops. Sizes 7 to 10 in the group. Regular 59c pair.

Friday Bargain, pair

39^c

EATON'S—Socks, Main Floor

Formal Fabrics—1/2-Price

Clearance of broken lines and colour ranges of better quality-rayon taffetas, embossed velvets, metallic crepes and small checked taffetas. Regular 1.95 and 4.50 yard. Friday Bargain, yard

97^c to 2²⁵

EATON'S—Dress Goods, Main Floor

Men's Oxfords, Boots

Clearance of small and large sized boots and oxfords. Kids and calf leathers. Oxfords in blucher and balmoral styles . . . few with crepe soles. Sizes 6 to 11, 11½ to 12. Regular 10.50 to 17.95.

Friday Bargain, pair

5²⁵ to 8⁹⁷**Men's Crepe
Soled Oxfords**

Made with strong leather uppers in wine or brown and hard-wearing soft crepe soles. Sizes 6 to 11. Regular 7.95.

Friday Bargain, pair

5⁹⁵

EATON'S—Men's Shoes, Second Floor

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15 BRITONS SAID SLAIN IN SUEZ AREA

Egyptian Police Said Battling U.K. Troops

CAIRO, Jan. 3 (AP).—Egyptian police today battled an 1,800-man British force armed with tanks and artillery in the Suez area, an Egyptian communique reported. It said 15 Britons were killed and 14 Egyptians were wounded.

A British spokesman said he had no report of such a battle.

The Egyptian communique issued by the interior ministry said police came to the rescue when British forces "opened fire" on Egyptian state railway shops near Suez.

Telephone communications with Suez were reported down.

Earlier, King Farouk's new pro-Western chief adviser, Hafez Agha Pasha, said today that Egypt should guard against being caught "in the grip of imperialism of a different character" in its struggle against Britain.

He apparently referred to Russia.

GALLANT CAPTAIN CONTINUES FIGHT

Slackening Seas Reported Abetting Skipper Of Badly-Listing Freighter; Turmoil Nears

LONDON, Jan. 3 (UP).—The weather took a turn for the better tonight and raised hopes that Capt. Henrik Kurt Carlsen might win his lonely fight to stay aboard the freighter Flying Enterprise until she can be taken into tow.

The skipper was spending his sixth night alone on the listing vessel. Before darkness closed in he was being beaten by winds of 63 miles an hour—"whole gale force"—and it seemed doubtful he could stay with his ship. But the storm died down and the U.S. destroyer John W. Weeks, standing by, radioed to-night that the freighter was "riding easily" and Carlsen was drinking coffee sent to him on a line from the naval vessel.

A crack British ocean-going tug is racing to the scene, about 400 miles off the southwestern tip of England, and hopes to reach the Flying Enterprise before morning.

For hours today the situation of the courageous Carlsen, sworn to ride with his ship to port or see it go down, seemed desperate if not hopeless as the vessel wallowed helplessly and the black 16-hour night closed in.

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Bank Bandits Get \$50,000

Armed Toronto Pair Tie Up 18 Employees, Customers In Bold Theft Before Opening

TORONTO, Jan. 3 (CP).—Two armed men tied up 18 persons and robbed a branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in suburban York township today. Estimates of the amount of loot ranged from \$40,000 to \$50,000.

The pair, one armed with a sub-machine-gun and the other with a revolver, entered the bank during the night.

They tied up the 13 staff members as they arrived for work, starting with the first arrival at 8.15 a.m. They also tied up five customers who came to the bank early.

Shortly before 10 a.m., after the last member of the staff fell into their net, they made off with the cash.

A bank official, mentioning that it was payroll day, said the

loot might run to \$50,000. A police officer at the scene gave an estimate of \$40,000.

One of the men wore a false rubber nose, the other thick-lensed glasses. Bank employees said they had no idea how the pair got into the bank. Residents of the area—Dufferin Street north of Eglinton—said they heard no disturbance during the night.

3 Store Members Caught In Trap

The customers were in the bank before the normal 10 a.m. opening hour by special arrangement between the bank and neighborhood stores.

Three members of the staff of one store got caught in the trap. A girl went to make the bank trip. When she didn't come back on schedule, the boss sent a second girl to check. She didn't return. So he went himself. All three were tied up.

A. G. Cantrell, who arrived at the bank around 8.15 a.m., said: "The two men were in their shirt sleeves. They waved their guns at me and told me to go into the manager's office." The pair told Cantrell "as long as you're careful we won't hurt you."

After the last staff member was tied up the men took manager E. J. Jackson and accountant J. W. McDonald into the vault and forced them to open the safe.

"One man put some of the money in a brief case, took a key to the bank and went out

side, locking the door after him," Cantrell said. "He came back a few minutes later. I thought they were rather badly dressed. One had his white shirt darned."

Finally, the men put on their jackets and overcoats and calmly left the bank.

The loot was the greatest in a bank hold-up in the Toronto area. The largest previous robbery was the \$35,000 hold-up recently of a bank in suburban Leaside.

Edwin Olonzoy Boyd, notorious bank robber who escaped jail here in November, was blamed as leader of the gang that committed the Leaside hold-up but police were unable to say whether he was one of the two men involved in today's robbery.

They noted that one of the men wore a false nose and said Boyd was notorious for his use of disguises in robberies.

Pending final determination of the amount stolen, Manager Jackson said: "They left some money, but not much."

President Makes Fresh Appeal To Steel Workers

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., Jan. 3 (UP).—President Truman has made a new appeal to the C.I.O. United Steelworkers to hold off a threatened industry-wide strike that could cripple defense production.

C.I.O. president Philip Murray

read Mr. Truman's second plea for continued work to the opening session today of a special 3,000-man convention the union's leaders called to consider staying on the job.

Mr. Truman said it is the "clear obligation" of the union to stay at work while the wage stabilization board considers its wage fight with the steel industry.

The letter to Murray, whom the president addressed as "Dear Phil," was dated Dec. 31 and praised the union's executive board for calling off a national walkout scheduled originally for New Year's Day. The convention is to decide whether to keep the union's 650,000 basic steel workers on the job.

"I am sure the American people applaud you for the decision to stay on the job," the President said.

"I have made the request to the steelworkers union to postpone use of its economic strength with a full realization of the significance of that request. I do so because I have confidence in the wage stabilization board and confidence in the capacity of the parties, with the help of the board, to arrive at a fair settlement without a costly loss of production."

Applause which greeted the reading of the message indicated there is little question the convention delegates will go along with the plea.

Plan Deadline For Strike On Toronto Trams

TORONTO (UP).—More than 4,700 Transportation Commission and Gray Coach Line motormen meet at midnight tonight to set a strike deadline to back up wage demands.

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Youngsters Enjoy Morning Snow

Most Victoria youngsters revelled in early morning snowfall, but Gerold Woscoski, victim of above attack, "wanted out." Giving Gerald a snow facial are, from left, Dolores, Dicky and Bobby Jackson. Weatherman expects more snow and rain

tonight with rain Friday as warm air west of here moves across Island. Temperature Friday will be 40. See weather story page 11. (Times photo by Bill Halkett.)

Vishinsky Proposes U.N. Intervene In Korea War

Reds Reject New Prisoner Offer

MUNSAN, Korea, Jan. 3 (AP).—The Communists today turned down an Allied plan for exchanging war prisoners and civilians as "no more than a barter of slaves."

But a United Nations negotiator said he "rejected the categorical rejection of the Reds."

North Korean Maj.-Gen. Lee Sang-cho said he wanted no part of the Allied plan because it was "simply and solely on a one-for-one exchange." The Reds want an all-for-all trade.

Rear Admiral R. E. Libby said that was the end result of the Allied plan.

He refused to accept the Red rejection because they "either misunderstood our proposal or they are deliberately misinterpreting it in order to deliberately obscure the issues."

Libby indicated Lee might be waiting for new instructions.

He reiterated that the U.N. plans to return every prisoner of war who wants to be repatriated. He said the one-for-one exchange called for in the first two points of the Allied plan would control merely the rate of exchange—not the number of war prisoners and civilians ultimately traded.

Another sub-committee, dealing with true supervision, remained deadlocked. Thursday over Communist insistence on the right to build and repair military airfields during an armistice.

Vancouver Stocks Closing Prices

General Petroleum advanced 35 cents to 8.35 on Vancouver Stock Exchange this afternoon. A.I.S. finishing strongly was Giant Mascot, at 1.08, up 2 cents from noon. Alberta-Disfrisers also gained at 3.10, up 10 cents. Other trading prices—Britalta 4.75; Silver Standard 2.55; Highland Belle .80; Beaverlodge 1.00; Quatsino .57; York 47; Cronin Babine .50; Calmont 1.60; Privateer .08½; Sheep Creek 1.70; Silvan 1.38; and Bralorne 6.00.

RESULTS

FAIR GROUNDS

First Race—
Try Like (Van Hook) \$4.40 \$4.50 \$7.50
Silver (Dunlop) 7.50 4.20
Good City (Bales) 3.50
Time, 1:14 1-5.
Second Race—
Pilot (Popara) \$11.00 \$8.20 \$4.40
Rock Bandan (Baldwin) 7.50 4.20
Black Doll (Calderone) 4.50
Time, 1:14 1-5.
Third Race—
Victory (Craig) \$13.40 \$7.20 \$2.50
Victorian Dog (Duhon) 14.20 10.80
Hazel (Van Hook) 11.40
Time, 1:13 3-5.
Fourth Race—
First Curtin (Baldwin) \$17.00 \$7.50 \$5.00
Sand Fly (Hutnagel) 4.50 3.40
Lucky Muller (Holt) 3.20
Time, 1:14 4-5.
Fifth Race—
Trumpet Call (Baldwin) \$12.40 \$4.80 \$3.50
Frick (Keefer) 3.40 2.40
Royal Jet (Van Hook) 3.00 1.25
Time, 1:14 1-5.
Sixth Race—
High Carrier (Craig) \$39.20 \$12.80 \$5.60
Dea (Van Hook) 7.50 3.20
Mail From Home (Ains) 3.00
Time, 1:12 3-5.
Seventh Race—
Mr. Michael S. (Olson) \$35.20 \$12.80 \$5.60
Beverly (Popara) 3.00 1.25
Legalese (Popara) 3.50
Time, 1:12 1-5.
Eighth Race—
Lockout (Keefer) \$15.80 \$5.00 \$2.50
Vardony (Valenti) 4.00 2.50
Big Inch (Walker) 2.50
Time, 1:17 1-5.

Plan Frowned On By U.S. Delegates

PARIS, Jan. 3 (AP).—Russia, in a surprise move, today proposed that the United Nations' Security Council intervene in the Korean armistice negotiations.

It asked that both Korea and the lessening of world tensions be considered at a high level, possibly by foreign minister or chiefs of state.

Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky submitted the proposal to the 60-country political committee after a long speech denouncing a western collective action plan and hinting ominously at events to come in south-east Asia.

The American delegation immediately frowned on the Vishinsky proposal. Pending official comment, United States sources said the Soviet resolution is unacceptable.

American informants pointed out that the U.S. favors continuation of collective measures as an important factor in the U.N. efforts for peace. They said the call for a Security Council meeting has been made before without response from the Russians, who would not recognize Nationalist China as a member of the council.

The Americans said that since Russia has veto power in the council it would be useless to bring the Korean armistice negotiations to that body. They added that the place for successful conclusion of such talks is in Korea, with the veto-free General Assembly deciding later on a political settlement.

Vishinsky proposed that the council be called under Article 28 of the U.N. charter, which authorizes governments to send chiefs of state or foreign ministers as delegates to their council meetings.

This made the proposal look like another version of the U.S.S.R. demand—keynote of its current peace offensive—for a five-power meeting, including Communist China, to bring about a pact of peace.

The Soviet suggestion was offered to counter the draft—presented by 11 countries, including Canada—calling upon the U.N. to set up new anti-aggression machinery. It was made after Vishinsky delivered a 37-page speech denouncing the western draft as one that could lead only to war. He said the American-sponsored proposal "boils down to sanctions—in other words, war."

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OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

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FIRST RACE—Six furlongs—
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Concrete 108
Trick Fly 106
Dashing Don 111
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Ootie Speed 111
Ootie Speed 120

SELECTIONS

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FAIR GROUNDS

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2—Alhambra, King Pigeon, Rolling Time.
3—Bully's Gift, Swisher, O'Brien's Pat.
4—Nix, Top Distance, Toll For Me.
5—Landmark Oak, Auntie Mabel, Phil O.
6—Bav Buster, Mystery Man, Lifter.
7—Uncle Drew, New York, Iowa II.
8—Timothy, Honey Ethel, With Ease.
Best Bet—Timothy.



OL' VIC SAYS

It's about time th' United Nations got a few United Nations.

"Churchill ready for the U.S." But is th' U.S. ready for Churchill?

I shore would'a liked to see the poem Maurice (The Plunger) Humber would write if some woman h'd give birth to triplets New Year's.

BULLETINS

Find Plane Wreck

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Jan. 3 (UP).—The wreckage of a Transocean Air Lines C-46 cargo plane was found 30 miles east of here today but there was no sign of its four passengers, the air force said.

Pleven Upheld

PARIS, Jan. 3 (AP).—Premier Rene Pleven tonight won a narrow vote of confidence from the French National Assembly.

6th B.C. Death

VANCOUVER, Jan. 3 (CP).—Sixth death by exposure in B.C. since a cold wave struck the province Christmas Eve was reported today.

James Robertson was found dead in his rooming house here. The window was wide open. Hospital officials said he died of exposure.

Quake Kills 33

ISTANBUL, Turkey, Jan. 3 (Reuters).—A violent earthquake today swept through Turkey's Erzurum province, killing at least 33 persons and injuring hundreds.

Will Retire

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (UP).—President Truman confirmed today that W. Stuart Symington will resign this month as R.F.C. administrator.

30 Years Later

CRANBROOK, B.C., Jan. 3 (CP).—A veteran of the British Imperial Army has been awarded the Meritorious Service Medal 30 years after he left the army.

J. P. Fraser of Cranbrook last served with the Cameron Highlanders in the First World War. He joined the army in 1890 and was pensioned off in 1911. He rejoined for the war.

Pair Released On Bail After Drug Charges

VANCOUVER, Jan. 3 (AP).—A Windsor, Ont., man and his woman companion are free on bail today after being charged with possession of \$13,000 worth of narcotics.

Free on \$20,000 bail is John Leo Shortt, Bertha Ceasor, his companion, has been released on \$5,000 bail.

Police said the "very big" seizure made Wednesday in a downtown rooming house, thwarted a determined effort to move more supplies from eastern Canada on to the Vancouver market.

Chile Election Draws Violence

SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 3 (AP).—Chile's residential election campaign broke out into violence for the first time today. No arrests were made.

Supporters of Senator Carlos Ibanez threw tear gas bombs into a theatre where Senator Arturo Matte, candidate of a right wing bloc of parties, was addressing a meeting.

Ibanez, a former president, is the candidate of a splinter group of the Agrarian party and independents. He advocates renewal of diplomatic relations with Russia, broken off in 1947. First fights started outside the theatre. Police quelled the disturbance. Several persons were slightly injured.

Went To Vancouver

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 3 (CP).—Jim Wert, who batted .325 for Spokane Indians last season, probably will handle first base for Vancouver Capilanos in 1952, general manager Bob Brown of the Western International Baseball League club said today.

New Interior School Saved From Flames

SALMON ARM, B.C., Jan. 3 (CP).—Volunteer firemen saved the new \$350,000 Salmon Arm High School from destruction by fire.

The fire Wednesday caused \$1,500 damage, but the volunteers brought it under control after chopping through the roof to halt the flames.

The fire was blamed on short-circuiting of a hotplate used to thaw a drainage pipe.

MILK BOARD PRICE-FIXING POWER UNDER QUESTION

The effect of the new federal anti-price-fixing law on the power of the B.C. Milk Board to set the retail price of milk will be investigated.

Agriculture Minister Harry Bowman plans to study the situation with E. C. Carr, milk board chairman, it was learned today.

Crown law officials are understood to be awaiting a copy of the new bill to determine its jurisdiction.

According to reports from Winnipeg, the power of the Manitoba Milk Board may be challenged under the new anti-price-fixing legislation.

The board is scheduled to hear an application Jan. 7 by milk distributors who are seeking an increase of 1 cent a quart. Consumers' representatives, however, may challenge the board's power at the hearing to fix the price of milk.

Officials of the Vancouver Dairymen's Association will watch "with interest" all developments.